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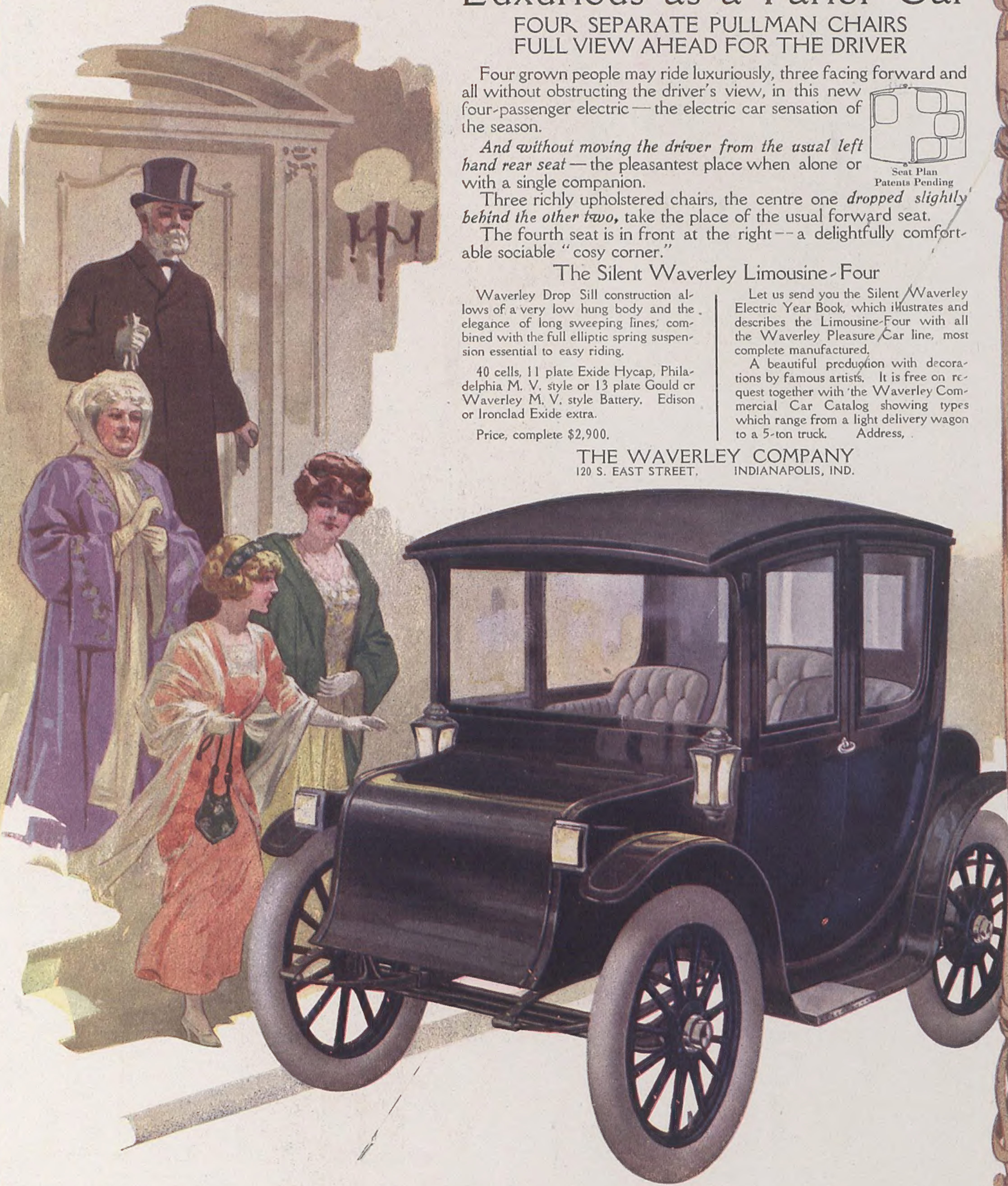
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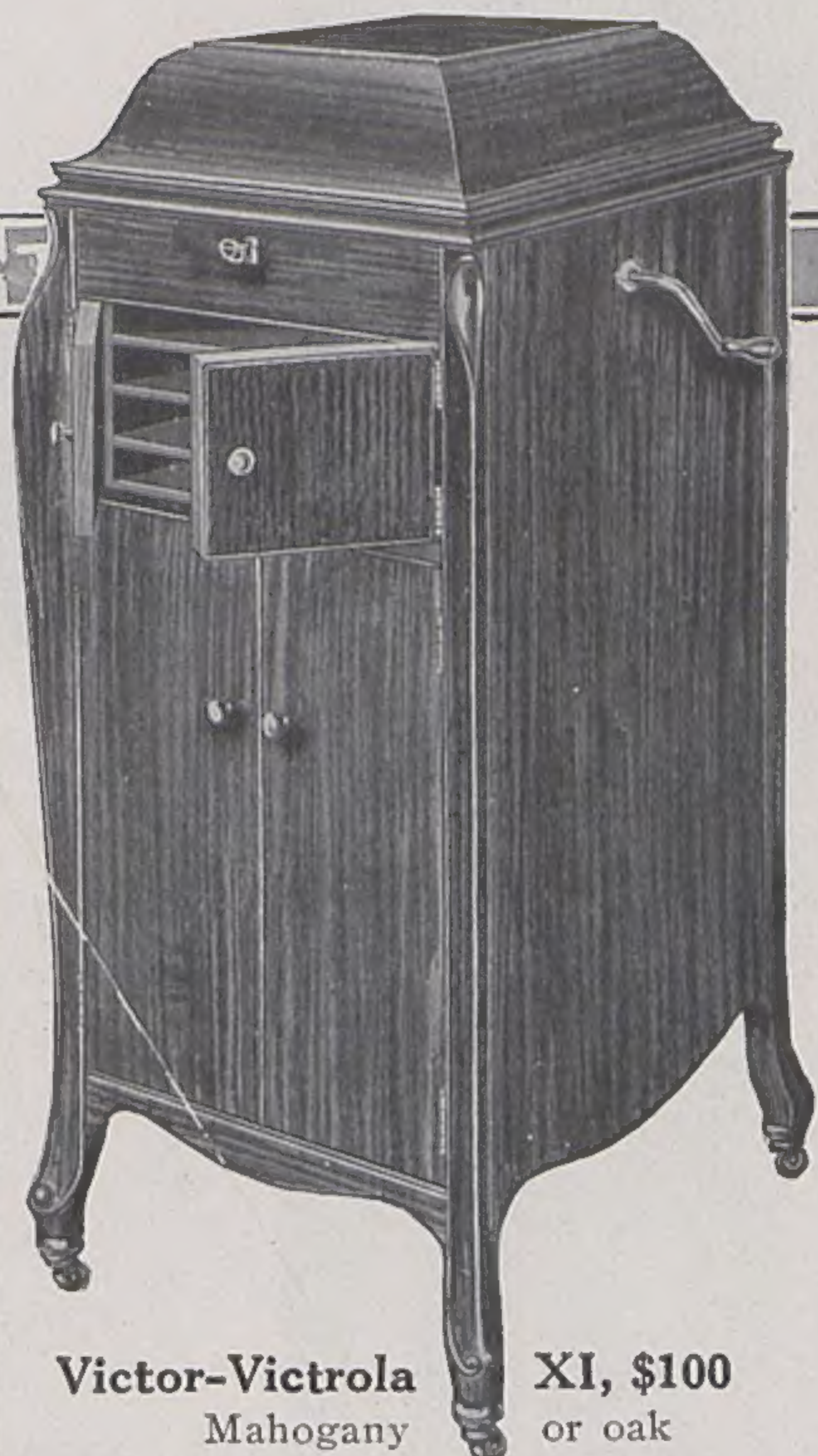
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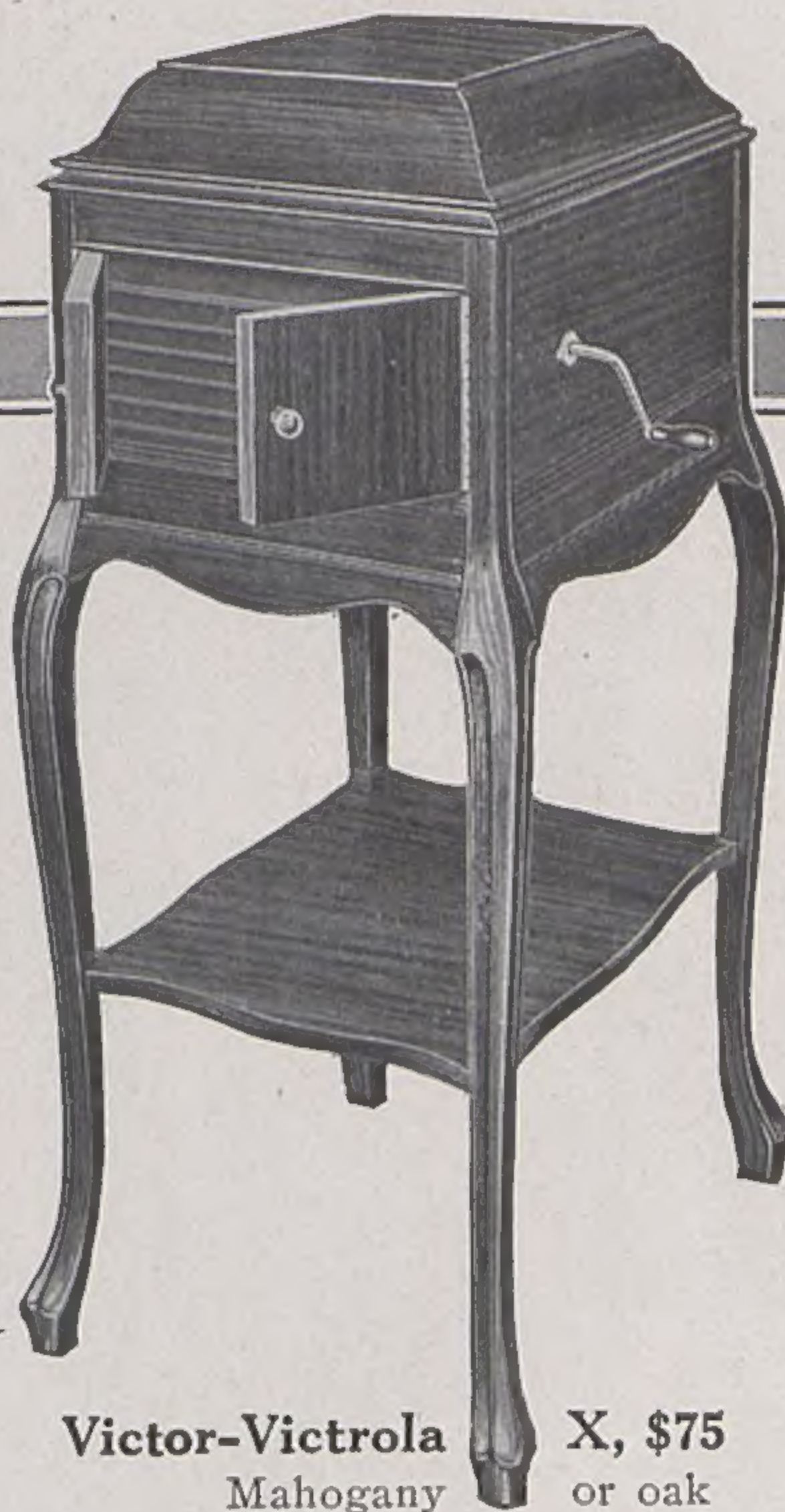
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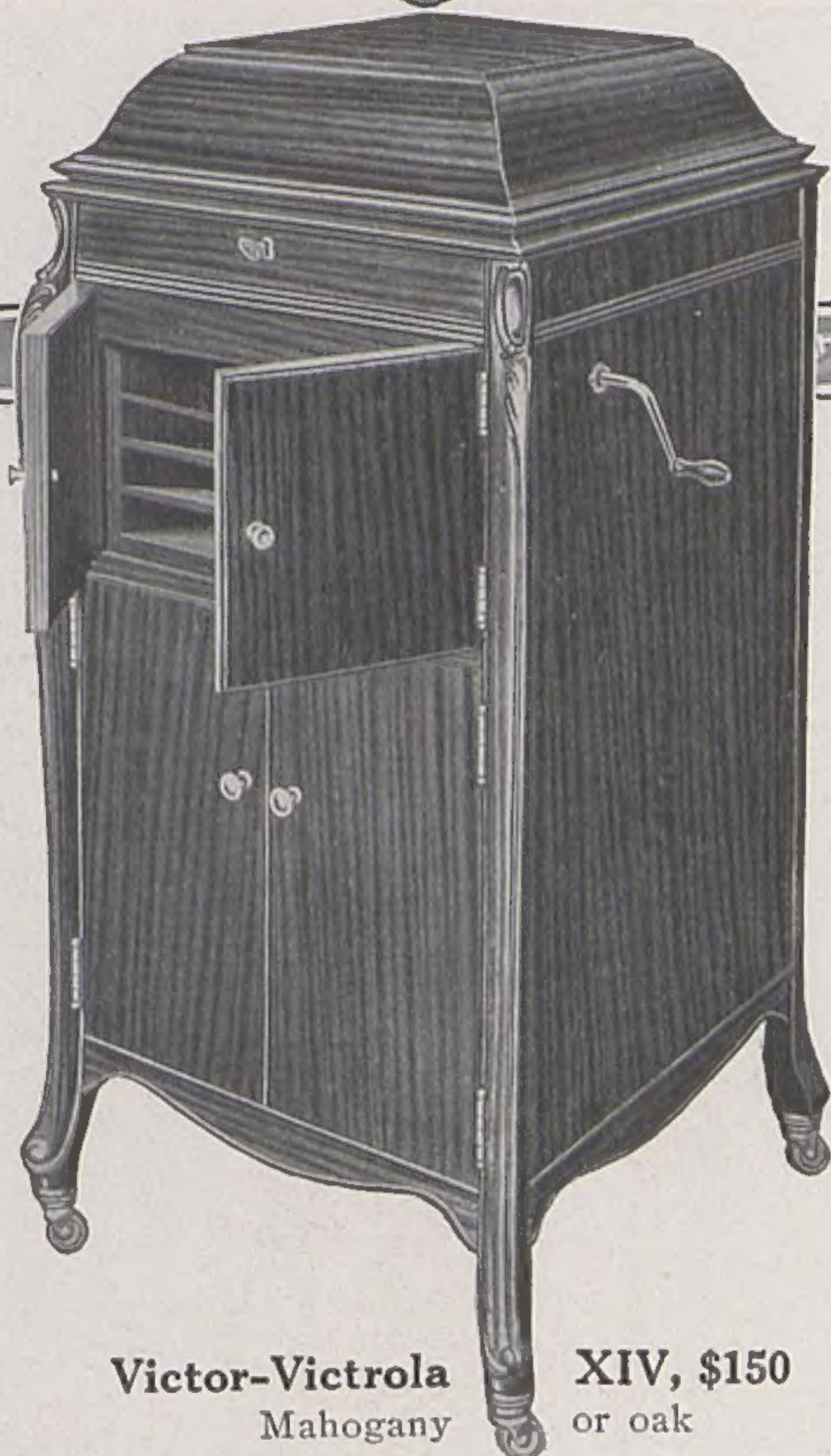
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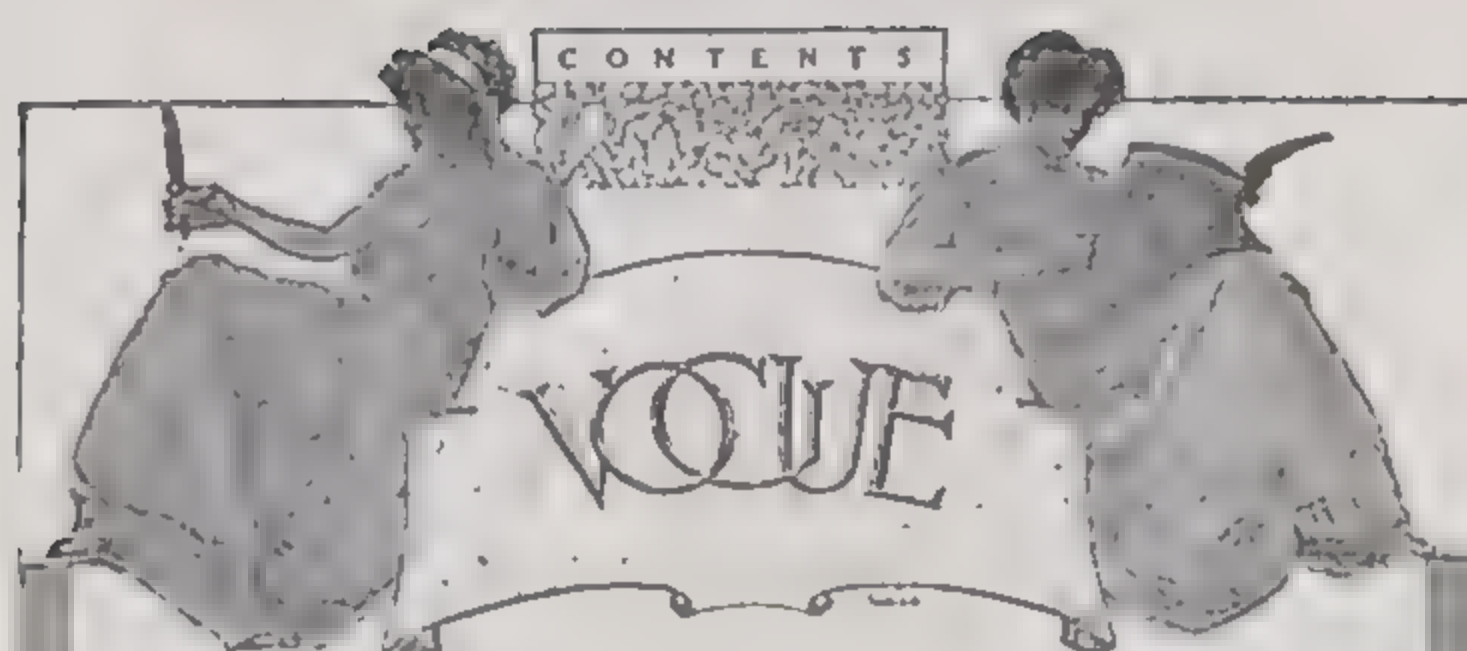
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With a running fire of epigram Miss Duer supports her maxim that "etiquette is only the ghost of old rules once set for ceremonious conduct," and, therefore, no one who is truly amiable and unself-conscious can go far wrong in the manners of to-day. This essay on the new etiquette will have a prominent position in the Winter Fashions Number.



This is a hint of the cover design of our forthcoming Winter Fashions Number

Looking Forward

In the next VOGUE we shall outline our Christmas plans for this season—so that really forehanded Christmas shoppers can begin at once to lighten the burden of the last few weeks. If you have never taken advantage of VOGUE's Christmas offer, read what we have to say about it in the Winter Fashions Number.



How to Secure a Charming Poster

The striking cover design of this October 15th number—three girls by Miss Sarah Stilwell Weber—would make an exceedingly attractive poster. We have accordingly made several extra proofs on heavy paper, without lettering, and will send you one on receipt of 25 cents.



TO MAKE SURE OF THE WINTER FASHIONS NUMBER READ PAGE 8



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M R S . J . G O R D O N D O U G L A S

Mrs. Douglas, the daughter of Mr. Luther Kountze, is a splendid sportswoman whose prowess has been much noted at Newport this season. The country home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas is "Douglaston," at Morristown, N. J.



THE GERMAN REGIMENTAL DRAG

DRAG hunting in Germany is practically confined to the army, for, contrary to the English and American custom, few stables and packs are maintained by individuals or country clubs. Each hunting season the cavalry regiments provide stables stocked with horses selected from among those of the regimental barracks which are set aside for the use of the officers and for that of the visiting officers from other regiments. Each officer has several hunters of his own, either English or Irish bred, or else inbred in Germany, but no horses are kept especially for the hunting field. All the horses are used in regimental service work, for the sport is never divorced from the purpose of military training.

THE STRENUOUS GERMAN HUNT

For this reason the officers of a regiment are required to attend a drag quite as conscientiously as they would any other branch of equestrian training, and their arrangement of the sport is frequently subjected to the criticism of their commander. They are expected to keep a fast but steady pace, riding from start to finish in their best form, with the horse going with low neck, and horse and rider in perfect equilibrium. A racing seat is always condemned.

In the intervals between the hunts the officers subject the horses to rigorous training, and this is a most strenuous task, as the country where these hunts take place is so intersected with small rills as to necessitate a marvelous quickness in their ability to make short, quick turns. When in the field, the riders are expected to take all the obstacles of the course, and the hunt thus becomes altogether unlike a cross-country ride in America or England, where the individual himself elects the danger, or may decide that the desirable way is along the line of least resistance. In the German army, even in hunting, there is no such thing as an individual, and the ideal hunt is where the

The Reveille at Dawn, the Spirited Dash over Wali and Ditch, the "Haloli" of the Buglers that Signals the Kill, and Finally the Presentation of the Coveted Oak Leaf

whole field ride well together to the finish.

The hounds used at the regimental drags are of English blood, but as the pure bred foxhounds have proved too heavy and slow for the pace set at these hunts, they have been interbred in Germany with deer and hare hounds. The English strain is replenished from year to year. The cavalry regiments usually rent the dogs for the season from the Military Riding Institute at Munich. In most cases the English names are used. Each regiment also

the hunting season, which includes the first days of October and continues until the early snows.

The length of a hunt varies. Those at the end of the season are much longer, with more difficult obstacles than those in the early part of autumn. But from the first, all are straight away, a flying run with no stops, and from three to five miles in length. Longer runs are provided at the close of the season by arranging what are called relay hunts in which several stops are made, usually at some picturesque locality. Here the riders are met by their *Burschen*, who hold in readiness fresh mounts. A relay hunt provides several of these halts, and may extend for fifteen or twenty-five miles, which, with the stops and the return, constitutes a very full hunting day.

The hunters most earnestly strive to preserve an *entente cordiale* with the peasants, and maintain in all their relations with them great decorum and a conspicuous respect. The regiment band is often placed at the disposal of the villagers for their merry-makings, and at the termination of the hunting an investigation of all damage done to their land and crops is made.

THE MASTER OF HOUNDS

The commanding officer of a regiment is always the nominal Master of the Hounds, but the acting Master is appointed by him for the season from among the younger officers. The post is a unique one, as it is a curious composite of *piqueur* and Master. It is his office to arrange each of the two or more weekly hunts, to select some under officer, and, with him in attendance, to go over the proposed route. His instructions are in turn submitted, by this subordinate, to the draggers, with whom he again goes over the course, an intimate knowledge of which is required of him.



A hunting party of notabilities, all wearing the coveted oak leaf, leaving "Studensee," formerly the country place of the Grand Duke of Baden, but now opened only for hunt breakfasts



Among those in at the finish of this regimental drag were Colonel von Eben, the Major von Plettenberg, Captains Graf von Posadorosky and Freiherr von Dungern, and the only woman in the party, an American, the wife of Ober-Lieutenant Sommerhoff, who stands beside her

Upon the day of the hunt the officers and their guests assemble at the barracks, from whence they proceed to the Meet in an order established by tradition. The Whips with the hounds take the lead, and are in turn followed by the Acting Master of the Hounds, riding alone, and by the buglers of the regiment, who awaken the echoes of distant hills with old hunting songs. After them ride the Colonel of the regiment and the other officers, then their guests, often Royalty itself, and lastly the ladies.

"THEY'RE OFF!"

The spectacle is a brilliant one. The procession of men in pink with black velvet hunting caps and of officers in the striking and varied uniforms of the German army presents, as it passes out of the little barracks town through the narrow, winding ways leading to the open country, both the picturesqueness of a hunting party and the dashing military form of the German cavalry. The women usually hunt in pink habits of French cut, with which they wear the *tricorne*. A few wear habits of English make and silk top hats, but the cross saddle and divided skirt are rarely seen.

After the groups are united at the Meet, for which usually some broad, open space surrounded with wooded heights is chosen, a signal is given by the Commander, and all are away. The draggers are allowed a start of from two to ten minutes, depending upon wind and weather. All kinds of obstacles are met, usually of a purely natural character—ditches with which the peasants divide their fields, broader water jumps of all sorts, with an occasional

combination of trench and hedge, and finally streams with bottoms of a sticky and obstinate mire.

The broad jump is the most formidable obstacle of the run, and not, as in England and America, the high jump of wall or fence. In these differences of the natural features of the two countries lies the reason of the faster pace

structured, which are thought desirable rather for variety than because they afford an opportunity for better horsemanship.

AT THE CALL OF THE "HALOLI"

At the bugle call of the *Haloli*, those famous notes which, at the time when stag and wild boar were hunted with spears, signaled the kill, the riders again assemble and are met by the buglers and many carriages and automobiles. Those who arrive for this bugle call are entitled to the symbol of hunting honor, a sprig of oak leaves. A bough is plucked from some neighboring tree by a young officer, who hands it to the Commander of the regiment or to Royalty, if present. The Commander then makes the so much coveted presentations of the leaves.

All who have been honored wear the bits of green, the men in their caps, the women at the breasts of their habits, during the return, when, preceded by the buglers, they ceremoniously enter the regimental barracks, and again at the breakfast, dinner, or ball, which in Germany almost always follows the drag. D. VON W.



Princess Sophia of Saxe-Weimar
fording a stream

on the German hunting field. The German hunt more closely resembles an English point-to-point race than a fox hunt.

As the men and horses increase in strength and skill during the season, the acting master of the hounds causes artificial obstacles to be added to the course. These consist of imitation brick walls and of fences variously con-

The Unbeliever

"The tariff at last is adjusted," said she, "And gowns are much higher; I knew they would be." And he looked up in doubt as he stood by her side—"I wouldn't have dreamed it," was all he replied.



The real test of a German hunter is not, as in America, the wall, but the ditch where many more necks have been broken



Homeward after the "Haloli"—the Master leads, then follow the buglers, the colonel of regiment, and the officers and guests

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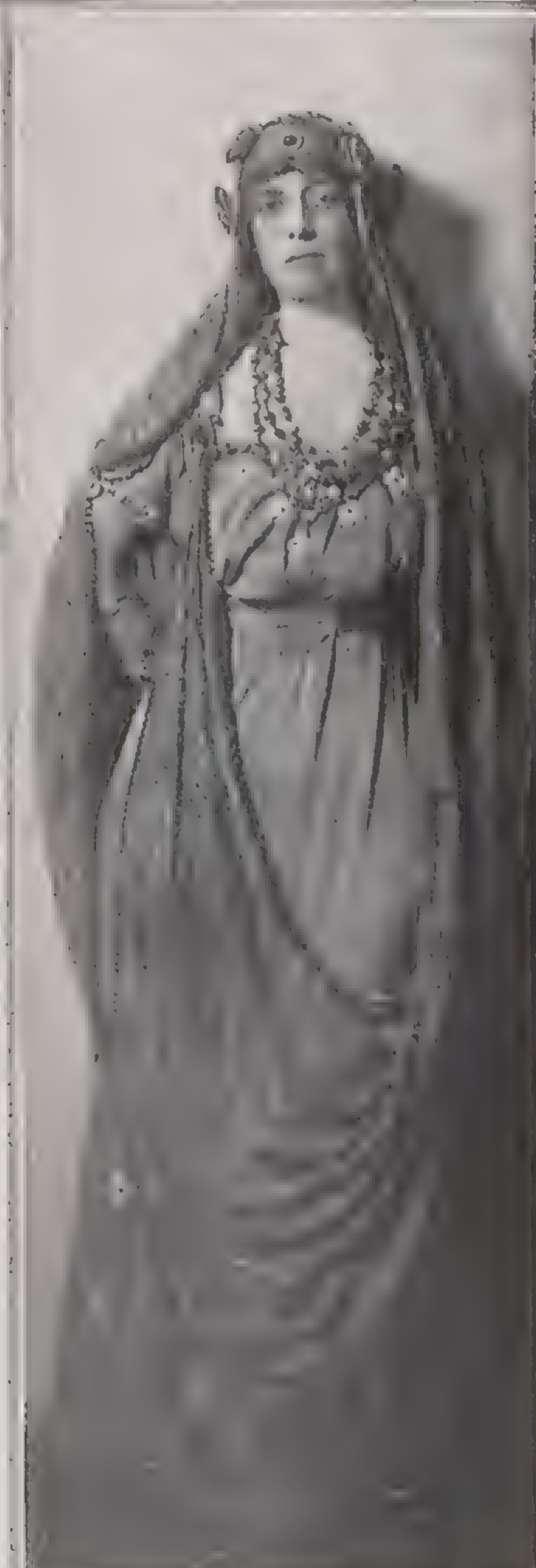


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Mrs. Austin Sands was attired as a Spanish dancing girl



The old-red cloth used for the skirt finds a place on the waist only in the typical Paquin collar, and the Alençon lace which forms the corsage is used on the skirt only in an abbreviated pannier. Bands of skunk trim the base of the collar and the wide sleeves which are finished with lace ruffles

A suit in old French red velours de laine which exploits many of the newest Paquin features—the long, backward-drooping waist-line, the wide-cuffed sleeves, and the curiously draped skirt. The standing collar is prettily finished at the throat with three long, black-tipped, white fur tails

Madame Paquin's new pannier—quite the most pronounced affair of the kind shown for a twelvemonth—measures at least a yard from tip to tip. With this excessive increase of material below the waist-line, we have even greater sketchiness above. For full description see page 23

HERE ARE SHOWN SOME OF PAQUIN'S PRETTY ECCENTRICITIES—A WIRED, FLARING COLLAR, AN ELONGATED, DROOPING WAIST-LINE, AND AN EXCESSIVE PANNIER

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We Can Only Trace the Many Little Changes that
Eventually Make Up the Sum Total of a New Mode

THOUGH we are told that panniers have passed or at least are passing, it is a noteworthy fact that some of the frocks which have had the greatest success this season are those which suggest in a more or less pronounced manner the silhouette of this same *passé* pannier. Quite the most pannier-like frock which has appeared for a twelve-month was designed by none other than Madame Paquin herself. At her house are shown no plain skirts, no plaited skirts, no full, round skirts, and no very tight skirts. What then remains?

Drapery. There is no drapery below the knee, but above the knee, what variety! Plaited peplums, puffed peplums, short tunics made of double frills, puffed tunics, circular tunics, godets, elongated, split panniers, and, most striking of all, very puffy panniers, such as are illustrated in the right-hand figure on page 22.

This model is developed in the palest pink taffeta. Its bouffant panniers measure at least a yard in diameter. The bottom of the skirt is edged with a narrow fold of the taffeta. Pale pink chiffon is used for the draped sleeves, and for the fichu which crosses the shoulders. This drapery follows the lower edge of the split panniers, and falls from the waist-line in the back, in two long, sashlike ends.

THE PAQUIN COLLAR

Paquin's silhouette presents many new features, the most conspicuous being the long waist-line, the wide-cuffed sleeves, and the curious collars of wired lace which do not

touch the neck at all. Paquin presents quite the most varied and the most original collection of collars of any of the designers.

If a plastron is used, it is always of transparent tulle and cut rather low. The overlapping corsage is bordered with fur, and fur at Paquin's means skunk or sable, for very little light-colored or short-haired fur is used. Inside of this band of fur, which, by the way, is



There is justification for Beer calling this stately gown of black tulle and white satin, "Goddess"



A characteristic Lanvin frock which, though made of rich brocade, is ruffled like a ballerina's

cut round and rather low in the back (it rarely touches the nape of the neck), stands a wired collar of sheer lace. Frequently lace frills fall over the band of fur.

A quaint bodice shows as a neck finish in the back, a six-inch frill of Alençon tulle hanging from the top of a high tulle collar. The collar extends across the back only, and is held close to the neck by a band of black velvet ribbon three-eighths of an inch wide, which fastens close under the chin with a tiny, fancy brooch of diamonds.

A Pierrot ruche of black tulle is made to stand out stiffly from the neck by a wire on the edge. A boxplaited sailor collar is topped by a band of fur which encircles the neck and drops to the waist-line in front. Sometimes a collar of lace or cloth forms a deep U in the



The dark blue frock which so often lacks character is given life and smartness by flowered sleeves

back, and the same line is carried out in the lower edge of the long waist.

At Paquin's all of the waists are decidedly long; indeed, this is the only house that shows no high-waisted frocks. The skirts of the coats have a most decided godet flare, and curve abruptly from the waist-line in the front to the knees in the back. Many of the frocks have full, eighteen-inch-deep, fur-bordered tunics which flare out from the waist-line in the back, and disappear under an *empiècement* in the front of the skirt. A charming frock of Chinese blue moire has a plaited panel of moire twelve inches wide, which hangs loose from the girdle to the hem in both front and back over a puffy, knee-length, split pannier.

PAQUIN GOSSIP

Madame Paquin is, as usual, loyal to dark blue for street wear. Many of her smartest models are developed in navy blue serge, and trimmed with black braid. Many varieties of ratine, velours de laine, and zibeline appear in beige, gray, chataigne, prune, bright Havana brown, old French red, and a curious bright green known as "vert canard." Paquin is using no plaids, no velvets and no moleskin.

Her sleeves are the subject of much talk just at present. They are new, and complicated, and charming—all good reasons for tea-room talk, one must admit. There is often a slashed effect, and frequently an inner slashed piece is added to emphasize the effect.

In her salons one sees every kind of sleeve from the bishop of tulle or lace to the pagoda of the eighteenth century, which is developed in heavier materials. Mutton-leg sleeves hang full above the elbow, where they are attached to deep kimono caps, with seams made ornamental by cordings of the material, or by fur bands. All sleeves are trimmed with fur. Skimpy, twelve-inch frills which hang from the elbows are bordered with three-inch bands of skunk. Narrow sleeves flare widely at the wrist, and are bordered with heavy bands of skunk

which suggest tiny muffs. This makes a pretty setting for the hand, which is quite lost inside of the wide cuff, and shows white against the dark fur.

THE DIVERSITY OF TRIMMINGS

Evening gowns are much draped and sometimes shirred quite full at the waist-line in the back. Rich brocades, gold cloth, black and gold *lamé*, and moire in shades of red, cerise, celery green, and canary are combined with chiffon and lace. Trains are usually hung from the knee on the left side of the back, and

of black chiffon, strass-edged and knotted with gold embroidery.

Beer's most successful creation, which is illustrated on page 23, is of white satin, and the shirred tunic which, by the way, would have been called a pannier six months ago is of black tulle, and elaborately embroidered in small pearl beads and metal-filled tubular beads. A floppy bow of black tulle is placed at the knees in the back. The satin bodice, with its short kimono sleeves, blouses slightly over the top of the skirt. A wreath of bead-



An entirely new style in fur coats is this Chéruit model with its long waist-coat drawn close to the figure beneath a broad sash of breitschwanz

When all the distinctive Chéruit features of tight skirt, panniers, sash, and long waist-line are combined in one gown, we have a unique creation

are straight and square like long sash ends. For trimmings Paquin uses bits of brilliant embroideries and cabochons of colored beads. A frock of dark blue serge is trimmed at the girdle with twists of silk cord, which in weave, color, and size, closely resembles the ordinary green cord which is attached to a gas range. Rosettes are made of fur with centers of brilliants. A fur coat has small dogs' heads of carved wood placed at the fastening.

Fire-petaled flowers of white chiffon, wired and edged with ermine, are used by Beer on evening gowns; also six-looped butterfly-bows

embroidered flowers borders the V-shaped décolleté. The deep points of satin at the waist-line in the front and back, and the pointed train, are also embroidered in beads. The large rose of black chiffon is used effectively on several of Beer's evening gowns. The edge of each petal is wired and bordered with tiny brilliants. This frock is known as "Déesse." This christening of their models by the French dressmakers is sometimes a source of humor, for sumptuous creations bearing illustrious names are shown alongside of such gowns as "Gamin" and "Dick"



Buzenet's "Success" fulfills its arrogant title in its oddly draped, circular tunic and original arrangement of buttons



Redfern shows originality by splitting the fish-tail train to the knee rather than opening the skirt in front

Though all houses show modish coiffures and the correct shoes and stockings to be worn with their gowns, few show hats. Beer realizes the advantage of displaying smart hats with smart costumes, and so shows with his street suit small hats which envelop the head. These are trimmed with aigrettes or feathers, which are usually posed directly in the middle of the back, and sometimes droop to the shoulders. For formal frocks, the hats are large and flat with aigrettes lying flat on the brim.

LANVIN, THE FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH

Jeanne Lanvin also shows hats with her frocks. Particularly becoming to youthful faces are the small, close hats of white corduroy with narrow, rolling brims.

Madame Lanvin's winter models are characteristic, and, as usual, are charming for young girls. Costumes of navy blue serge are frequently trimmed with cloth of brilliant colors, such as geranium red, emerald green, and king's blue. Most of the skirts hang perfectly straight from a slightly high waist-line, and are sometimes laid in tightly pressed, unstitched plaits. The jackets are rather loose, and just cover the hips; the blouses have fitted peplums.

A most original design is that illustrated on page 23. It is of blue and gold brocade, and from the waist-line to the knee the skirt is trimmed with circular ruffles of the brocade. The bretelles and the ruffles on the sleeves are also slightly circular.

Two of Lanvin's typical tailleurs are shown at the bottom of this page. The one on the left is of dark blue serge. The box-plaited skirt is topped by the short Russian blouse jacket with its double collars and coat-tails. The bow on the hat, the collar and cuffs, the bands on the skirt, and the buttonholes are of capucine red. The belt is of patent leather.

Another delightful variation of this same type of short-hipped jacket is shown on the right. It is of white cloth with bands of fine cording and hemstitching. Each of the decorative buttonholes down the front of the vest and skirt is embroidered at each end with a white silk clover leaf, and the buttons them-



Doeuillet admirably meets the requirements of girlhood in a loosely bloused, full-skirted suit of white broadcloth

selves are half spheres of white cloth. The sleeves are one of the new styles; they are gathered into a low armhole and again into a deep flaring cuff. The touch of color is the bright green of the leather belt and of the satin collar. The hat is of rough green plush trimmed solely with a draped chiffon veil.

THE VERITABLE TROUSER SKIRT

Most of Parry's street suits have a most mannish appearance. The skirts are straight and narrow, and hang from the top of an invisible belt, as do all of the skirts which retain the high waist-line. They are usually seamed on each side, and often have small side pockets placed rather well forward on each hip, almost at the same angle as those on men's trousers. But the most masculine thing of all is the strap and buckle which is placed just below the top of the skirt at the waist-line in the back. This is an exact duplicate of the strap on men's trousers, and belts in the fullness in the same manner. The part of the skirt showing above the strap is cut on the same lines as the top of the masculine garment, and to complete the effect, buttons are sometimes placed at the top of the skirt to correspond with the suspender buttons on trousers. With these skirts are worn plaited blouses of soft silk or linen with rolling collars, typical shirt sleeves, and every edge bordered with plaited frills.

One smart costume of navy blue serge which showed all of these masculine touches in the skirt, has, as a coat, a long-tailed cutaway. It is the exact duplicate of a man's cutaway; it fastens with a single button, and all the edges are bound with narrow black braid. On the left lapel of the coat is worn a small dahlia of brilliant cerise silk, for at present the Parisienne is wearing only artificial flowers. An-

other essential detail is that all-black boots are not worn with smart street suits; the uppers must be of *café au lait* or sand-colored cloth, the vamps of patent leather.

Parry's evening gowns are wonderfully artistic creations. The narrow skirts are made with short, round trains, and are usually open below the knee in front. This opening is filled with semi-transparent flounces of tulle or lace. Like all of the modish evening gowns, the corsage is cut extremely low, and is transparent.

MASTER OF THE TAILOR-MADE

Ratines in tiny checks or narrow stripes play an important rôle in Bernard's street suits. "Monaco" has a skirt of black and white ratine, and a coat of black velvet with a little waistcoat and rolling collar of plaid ratine. The skirt consists of two circular pieces which overlap at the left side of the front and at the right side of the back; the perpendicular edges are bound with black velvet. The circular fullness of the skirt is laid in shallow plaits from the curve of the hip to the knee. The plain skirts frequently introduced fullness in one deep plait which hangs loose from the waist-line to the hem at the right side of the back.

Many of Bernard's coats are half long and are built on the lines of a semi-fitted cutaway with ordinary coat collar and revers, a typical coat sleeve, and smart waistcoats.

Afternoon frocks show skirts that are quite long, touching the ground evenly all around. Bernard shows a skirt of this description, developed in black broadcloth, and trimmed with breitschwanz. The front of the skirt hangs quite full from a deep yoke, while directly in the middle of the front is a box plait, three inches wide at the waist-line, which narrows to nothing at the knee. The seams of the smart little waistcoat of breitschwanz are satin bound. The collars and cuffs are of ermine, the buttons of white pearl.

Béchoff-David is showing an odd scarf of Siberian squirrel. In the back it is cut to a point which extends below the waist-line, and the long, sloping ends are drawn across the

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Lanvin conceals girlish angles and flatness beneath the becoming fullness of plaited skirt and Russian jacket



Lanvin retains the hip-length coat but, with pretty incongruity, exploits with it a new long sleeve



A pleasing detail of this gold brocaded, pink satin coat, designed to match the gown below, is the dissimilarity in the skunk-edged revers, one of which is of the brocade and the other of embroidered lace



An imported gown of silk shadow lace and satin, adorned with pearl embroidery and rhinestones. The natural long lines are emphasized by the slim tablier of black tulle



Pink-satin, gold-brocaded in a bold design. The angel sleeves and one side of the bodice are of lace embroidered in gold

Back view of the gown shown in the upper, right-hand corner. The lace pannier puffs but slightly beneath the weight of the V-shaped panel of pearl embroidery



THESE MODELS ACHIEVE THAT COMBINATION OF YOUTHFULNESS AND RICHNESS WHICH, WHILE IT MAKES THEM UNSUITABLE TO THE DÉBUTANTE, WELL ADAPTS THEM TO THE YOUNG MATRON

MODELS FROM BEST & COMPANY

THE EXCELLENCE OF THE READY-MADE

The Importation of French Models and Materials, the Employment of Expert Workers, and Minute Attention to De-

tail Have Advanced the Ready-Made from a Shoppy, Impossible Garment to One Which Most Particular Women Can Wear

"THE survival of the fittest" applies in nothing more aptly than the industry of making clothes. The small tailor, dressmaker, and manufacturer, unless able to keep up with constant progress, must be wiped out by the more capable manufacturing concerns.

About a decade ago the possibility of buying a suit ready-made first presented itself to the well-dressed woman, but the probability that she would find what she wanted was slight.

they go abroad each season and send or bring back advanced French models, in many cases importing the materials as well. These models are copied by capable work people and are ready for inspection of the buyers of the retail stores at the opening of the season. While these models are being sold, the wholesaler is again importing the models shown at the opening of such houses as Paquin, Chéruit, and Callot, and has a second group of models ready only a little later than the date of the Paris



This model is a happy achievement of the difficult semi-tailleur



So careful a copy of an excellent Bernard model could scarce fail of smartness



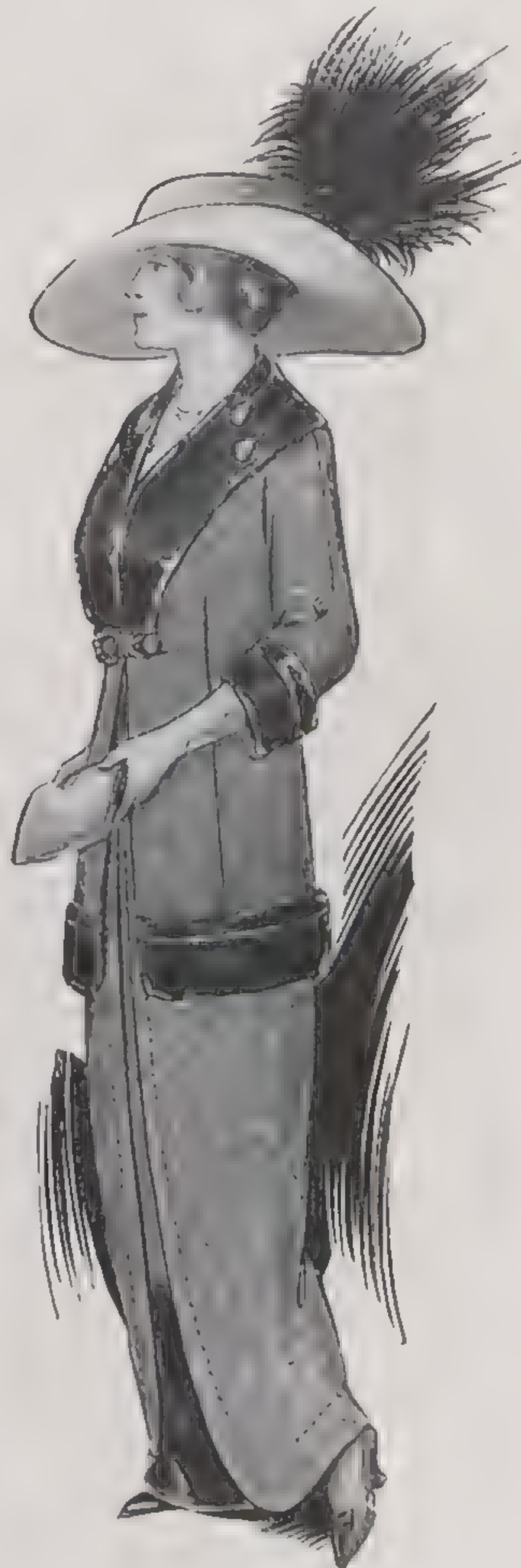
An adaptation of a French model with many little niceties of finish

The thought of buying a gown already made never even suggested itself. To-day so great have been the strides made by this industry toward good taste, materials, and workmanship that not only suits, but dresses, wraps, and evening gowns of great excellence are shown by the majority of the better shops.

In the early days of ready-made clothes, the makers used poor materials, poorer models, and attempted an elaboration which not only marked their products as wholly of the shop, but made them utterly impossible for women of good taste. On the other hand, almost from the first the ready-made models showed fair tailoring, that is, better pressing and stitching than could be given by any except the best tailors. The marked excellence of these clothes to-day is due to a gradual evolution in the manner of production.

THE INSPIRATION OF FRENCH MODELS

Though in a few instances the retailer does his own manufacturing, generally he buys from large wholesale manufacturers. Now here is where the great progress has been made. The men at the head of the better manufacturing concerns not only import French clothes, but



When both model and material are imported the full harmony and beauty of the original design are kept

openings. Besides being used for accurate copies, these models serve as inspiration for others of a simpler character. In countless ways their influence may be traced.

This intercourse with Paris, the constant handling of good French clothes, and the semi-annual trips to Paris of the American retail buyers have raised the standard to meet an ever-increasing demand for excellence. Then, too, the retail buyers import models, sometimes in great numbers. These are an inspiration not only to them but to the manufacturers they deal with, as many a model is immediately and well copied, to be sold in this country for a third or a fourth of the cost of the original.

Another indirect result of this large importation of French models, and a direct result of the more able management of manufacturing concerns, is the diversity of good styles, due to the effort of each manufacturer to put into his clothes distinction and individuality. It is no uncommon thing for a manufacturer to confine his output of one particular model to a single shop, and this limitation of the product naturally results in greater individuality for the ready-made and lessens the likelihood of meeting duplicates at every turn. The competition



This beautifully made model of white charmeuse would hold its own at any afternoon function

is so much keener between manufacturers, and so many more models are launched each season that one of the chief objections to the made-up models is removed. There is, however, a deplorable amount of similarity in the gowning of American women. They do not seek, as do the French, to wear clothes to suit their personality, but rather to follow the prevailing fashions.

CAREFULLY COPIED BERNARD MODEL

An example of a French model instantly copied is shown in the tailored suit at the top of page 27. This is a copy of a Bernard model which may be bought in a Fifth Avenue shop for \$39.50. It is made of an excellent diagonal serge, bound with black braid, and trimmed with an attractively shaped collar of velvet. The excellence of this suit lies not only in its cut, but also in the good tailoring, the good lining, the well-made buttonholes, and the quality of the material. The set of the collar is good; the width of the shoulders and the size of the sleeve at the wrist are just what they should be. Hitherto it was almost impossible to have these details properly treated in a ready-made suit.

FROM A FRENCH SEMI-TAILLEUR

A copy of a Jenny model is illustrated on the left of page 27. This is made of fine broadcloth with a collar of squirrel attractively finished with a bit of color. Not only is the design smart and rather unique, but the soft finish in keeping with the design is preserved throughout. The coat is properly weighted, the touch of orientalism shown in the collar is repeated by a bright colored lining, the braid and buttons which form the trimming are of the same good quality as the cloth. It is priced at \$75.

REPRODUCTION OF A CALLOT SUIT

The more elaborate type of suit is illustrated by the Callot model at the foot of page 27. This is made of the same material as the original—matelassé, a charming brocaded silk



Brocade, the most fashionable of the new fabrics, is here used in a charming blouse of simple designing



Not a single false note mars this perfect copy of a French original in Pompadour figured silk crêpe

which the manufacturer imported with the suit so that it could be exactly copied in this country. Furthermore, the model was shown in either black or taupe. The black suit shows collar and trimmings of broadtail, while on the taupe, moleskin is used. As the original has been faithfully followed, the harmony and real beauty of the design have been kept. And though it costs \$275, it could not be made to order of such materials at this price. These three suits show the wide range now covered in ready-made clothes.

A TAILORED FROCK OF DISTINCTION

On the right of page 27 is sketched a dress of wool éponge which shows real distinction not only of cut but of finish. The revers are bound with satin, and the satin is good; the vest is of fine batiste simply tucked and trimmed by a little good Cluny lace; the sash of striped ribbon is of a good quality and gives a charming color accent. This is similar to a French model, but may be purchased ready-made at one of the good shops for \$45. It comes in blue éponge with black satin bindings and a striped sash, and in mole color with mole-colored bindings and a striped sash.

THE NEWEST FIELD OF THE READY-MADE

Ready-made gowns for reception and evening wear have rarely been marked by good taste, but the same influences which have raised the standard of the tailor-made, the constant importing of French dresses, and now the faithful reproduction by better trained work people, are producing better results.

An example of what the modern ready-made reception gown may be is shown in the charmeuse gown illustrated on the left. This is found in a large department store, and costs \$65. It is made of a good quality of white charmeuse, and is cut on a new and good model. The drapery in the front is caught by well-made ornaments matching the silk. Heretofore in ready-made clothes, especially those in cream color, there would be two or three shades, one for the dress, another for the lace, and a third for braid or other trimming. Here the frill edging the long, well-shaped, tight sleeve is made in points to correspond to the



The simplicity that once money could not buy is now a commonplace of the ready-made



To find a simple rest robe of good material unspoiled by trimming has only recently been possible

No longer can the traveler sentimentously quote, "You must go to London for a really good motor coat"

A coat in green velour and opossum in a style that adapts itself equally well to day or evening wear

The ready-made now offers the variety of one undergown and several differing net tunics to wear over it

pointed effect of the frill around the neck. Cream lace is used on the sleeves and black over cream for the neck frill. The linings, the boning of the collar, the finish at the wrist, the weighting of the hem, are all details which go to make the perfection of this dress.

BROCADE ADDS A CHARM TO THE READY-MADE

A much more expensive dress, cut on an excellent model in the new brocaded crêpe, which in itself is very expensive, is pictured in the eighth sketch. This shows a graceful use of drapery, an attractive sash arrangement, a yoke and collar of net, and a sum total of simplicity which it is often impossible to buy at any price. Heretofore laces more or less good, and usually less, have been extravagantly used instead of such simple materials as net. An attempt to make expensive clothes usually resulted in making tawdry or showy models which did not appeal in any way to the good taste of the well-dressed woman.

Naturally, when these clothes are so carefully made of such good materials (especially when those materials are imported) and from a good design which it has also cost money to import, the dresses themselves cannot be inexpensive. This brocaded crêpe, for instance, is priced at \$150 at a Fifth Avenue shop. It can be purchased in either blue or white, and one is assured of its charm and the correctness of its simple style.

THE RICH EVENING GOWN

The same shop shows many beautiful evening gowns. One illustrated above on the right shows an underdress of brocaded satin with a transparent wrap of black net edged with skunk. For an at home dinner gown this would be charming. As intended, different over-drapes may be worn with it. The upper part of the dress is of pale pink chiffon with a touch of spangled trimming in the center-front. The cost of the underdress is \$75, and the overdresses vary in price according to the quality of the materials.

Not very long ago one was fairly sure, when buying a ready-made blouse, that the neck measure would be an inch or more too large, the sleeves too long, that the wrist would fit the neck, and that the shoulders would hang far

down on the arms. Furthermore, the materials were usually of a poor quality, and the machine stitching, which was always used, showed coarse cotton thread or inferior silk.

METAMORPHOSIS OF THE SEPARATE BLOUSE

To-day it is possible to buy an infinite variety of lovely blouses in the proper measurements, either made by hand or well made by machine. The materials are of the finest, and yet the prices are moderate. An especially good example of this is the waist shown to the right. This is a copy of a French model with a Robespierre collar in its latest development, that is, flat with a frill very broad at the top and tapering toward the bottom. This waist can be purchased in white voile for \$5.75, in chiffon cloth for \$12.50, and in crêpe de Chine for \$9.75. It is really a charming waist and, though simple, has the air of distinction that the smart woman demands.

THE NEW BROCADED WAISTS

Formerly it has been well nigh impossible to get ready-made waists in the newest styles. But on page 28 is shown a brocade waist with a long sleeve and a simple collar arrangement for \$9.75. Not alone the material, but the buttons, the pointed frills at the wrists, and the touch of black satin at the neck are of good quality. Another mode shown at the same shop is the waist of Pompadour figured silk crêpe with a vest and collar of satin, which is illustrated at the bottom of page 28. It is the lack of trimming which distinguishes this waist. It, as well as the other waist, is a faithful copy, in good materials, of a French model. It is priced at \$10.75.

Another remarkable waist made in the Paris workroom of a New York shop is of fine batiste with a collar embroidered by hand and a frill edged with good shadow lace. Every stitch is put in by hand, giving a daintiness which can be obtained in no other way. Price, \$9.75.

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This crêpe de Chine waist offers that sum total of simplicity that spells distinction

The UPS and DOWNS of the WAIST-LINE

MOST dresses are now made in two pieces, a waist and a skirt, but so cleverly and artistically are these intermingled that the effect is that of a one-piece garment. We have had waists and skirts joined together often before, but never in the history of dress has there been shown such ingenuity in the mingling of the two separate pieces.

Chéruit, adept in the management of the sash, is, as one would expect, master of this new dress trick; indeed, it owes its origin to Chéruit. She tapers a drapery off into a mere strip at one side, brings down a breadth of silk from the shoulder seam on the other, unites them both in a loose sash knot below the waist-line and presto! the trick is done. The figure is defined, yet not chopped in two by belt or sash.

This intermingling of waist and skirt is the keynote of the Chéruit collection this autumn. Endless are the variations she plays on it. Take the waist from any of her models and you have carried away a part of the skirt with it, and vice versa.

CHÉRUIT'S NEW LINE

To illustrate with one of Chéruit's most charming creations shown below: a gown of moire in the delicious pink lavender of the thistle blossom. So rich is the material that it needs no trimming. The underskirt falls straight and comfortably wide, which does not mean full in the old sense. The overskirt, full into the waist-line, falls in a long point on the left side and shortens to twelve inches over the right hip. This narrow strip is then continued round the waist as a sash. Below the waist-line on the right side it meets another strip, an extension of the waist, which is slipped under the front waist panel,



Chéruit, the master of the sash, is the leader in a new treatment of the waist-line

Interest Now Centers Upon the Waist-Line in Which Changes Daily Occur—Chéruit has a New Trick of Merging Waist and Skirt, Francis and Paquin Place the Waist-Line Below the Normal



The newest fashion trick is the merging of waist and skirt in two-piece gowns

and reappears as a sash. The harmony of line in this dress is an achievement, and if Chéruit had produced nothing else this season, this one model would be enough to earn her house fame and gratitude from those who would be becomingly as well as fashionably dressed.

DRÉCOLL FOLLOWS CHÉRUIT'S LEAD

Drécoll likewise has taken to this merging of lines, and has carried it off most successfully in his Arlette model. Witness this afternoon frock of dead-brown faille touched up with embroideries in dark wine tones, which is shown to the right. The waist closes on a slightly diagonal line, and this line is continued down into the skirt, forming a seam into which the overskirt drapery is plaited. The silk girdle disappears into the waist clos-

ing in the front, to reappear as a long sash end at the right side. The embroidery is used to form a bolero outline on the waist and to elaborate the little triangular yoke piece in the skirt. The sash is of black satin, with a double fringe of black silk over knotted, wine-colored silk. The gold lace guimpe and collar are half concealed under a black tulle plaiting. The sleeves have flaring cuffs that point halfway to the knuckles. Three big buttonholes are bound with silk and cut wide enough to disclose an underfacing of wine-colored silk.

FRANCIS A CLOSE THIRD

Still another development of this new idea is from Francis. The middle figure shows a gown of plum-colored charmeuse and chiffon with embroidery in cerise glass beads. The panniers are of plaited chiffon, and binding them in place is a front panel of charmeuse which widens to form a broad band at the sides, then narrows again to a panel at each side of the back; these two panels cross and terminate at the waist-line.

The feature of the dress is the treatment of the front panel. This is long and pointed at the top. The triangular piece which turns back is faced with the charmeuse, is drawn through the folded satin belt, and allowed to hang over.

The sleeves are set in at the accustomed low shoulder-line, and are slightly shirred into a deep, embroidered cuff. The beaded embroidery is charmingly displayed as a vest in the waist front, and there is a tiny yoke and high collar of cream lace.

A MATERIAL OBSESSION

Moire is more than a fashion, it is an obsession. Not one house, but



Take the waist from a new model and you have carried away part of the skirt



The little trick of conjoining waist and skirt is a new universality; the strapped revers, a new individuality

buttons. The bodice has long sleeves, collar, guimpe, and folded drapery, all of white chiffon, and the latter is overlaid on either side with three straps caught down with buttons. The body of the waist is all of the blue satin, save for an oblong bit of serge in the back under which the folds of chiffon terminate.

A NEW SLEEVE

Paquin has introduced a sleeve of wide, butter-colored lace arranged spiral-wise from below the elbow to the shoulder, and harmonizing in color and line with a deep fall of the lace on the waist front, the lower edge of which makes a diagonal line. This model is shown above.

The skirt has a pannier drapery, half length at the sides and falling very full and rather



A Francis coat of the new, figure-concealing cut with a waist-line thrown quite below the normal

Moire, which Bernard so much affects for his tailleurs, is of necessity reserved for the ample purse

Paquin, this season's protagonist of amplitude, presents a long-waisted, full-tailed, braided coat



The spirally arranged lace sleeves harmonize both in line and in color with the deep front frill

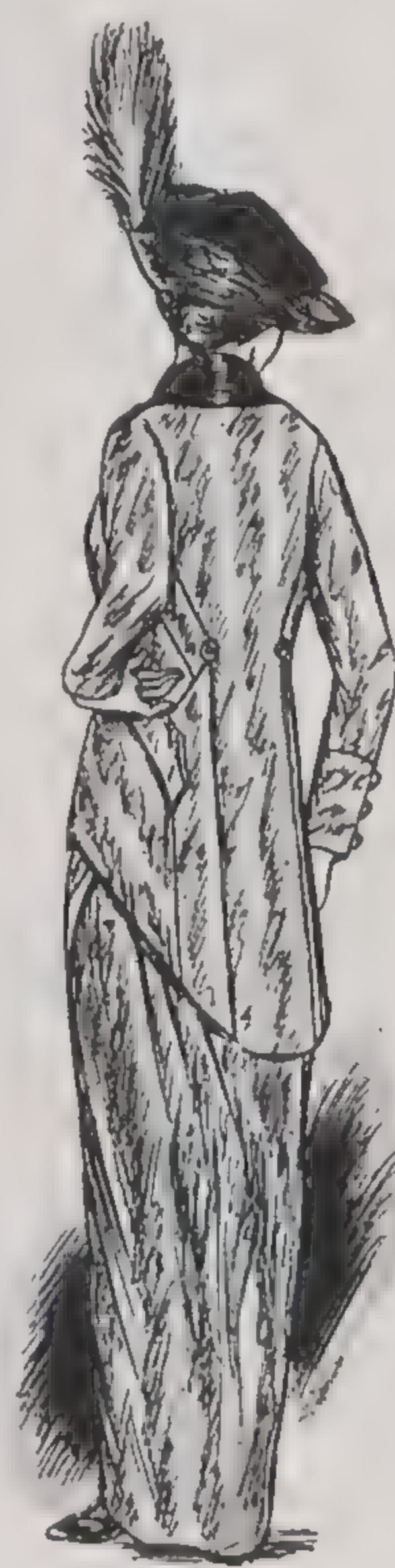
every house in Paris is showing it. Callot set the ball rolling early in the summer by dressing in moire many of her most exclusive clients. Moire has at least one marked merit—it must be of good quality. A cheap moire is an impossibility. So although satins and taffetas may be imitated in grades that put them within popular reach, moire can be worn only by the well-to-do, and is therefore not likely to be run to the ground as are most modish materials.

Many of Callot's and Chéruit's best models are carried out in this silk. Bernard shows a serious liking for it for afternoon tailor mades, witness that to the right. One in indigo moire has a particularly good skirt of the *amazone* variety. A slight fullness is caught in flat folds from the right hip across the back. At the left back this is caught up much as in a riding habit.

PAQUIN'S AMPLITUDE

The Paquin model on the lower right is in fine blue serge and satin. It shows the coat cut sharply away from the waist-line in front, and drooping to nearly three-quarter length in the back. The coat is heavily braided in a pattern that forms a sort of half belt on either side of the back. Below this the skirt portion of the coat is arranged in folds, full almost as godets, and the whole is quite covered with the braiding. The sleeves are three-quarter length and pointed, with an inner pointed cuff of velvet.

The dress of this costume, shown to the left, is quite charming. The plain skirt has a satin tunic which overlaps in the front and drops almost to the skirt hem in the back, where it again turns up to finish at the waist-line. The flat belt piece which finishes the waist-line is slashed at either side and turned back into smart little revers faced with cerise and fastened down with



long in the back. The front of this pannier is a flat panel of gray satin embroidered in gray and silver. A decided touch of color is given by the narrow, cerise velvet band veiled with a fluted frill of gray net which outlines the neck and falls in two ends in the back.

FUR-MAD

This season the dressmakers insist on putting fur on everything from matinée to evening frocks, and from chiffon to heaviest woolen stuffs. Francis effectively employs a narrow band of skunk to outline the side opening and finish the hem of the plum velvet costume shown to the left. The coat is of the new, figure-concealing cut, with the waist-line thrown quite below the normal. There is a big shawl collar and narrow cuffs of the skunk, and with the costume is carried a huge muff of the same fur. Bead embroidery, a favorite decoration with Francis, is arranged as a shaped band on the bottom of the coat, and in a long, diamond-shaped panel on the front of the dress.

Flaring ruffles or shaped pieces are noticeable features of many of Beer's skirts, as well as three-tiered effects which are always used on the upper part of the skirt from about three inches below the knee up to the belt. These plaited ruffles, frequently of net, are sometimes stiffened at the edges with narrow bands of skunk or sable, causing the edges to flare in an exaggerated fashion over a tight-fitting sheath foundation.

Though long-haired furs are preferred on gowns and costumes generally, the soft, short-haired pelts such as seal, ermine, and its clever substitute, coney, and gray and white squirrel, are utilized in millinery on hats large and small.



The back of this blue serge frock consists of four, three-inch box plaits that extend from collar to hem and are held at the waist by an embroidered white linen belt. Violet revers, mannish pockets, black braid, and violet buttons complete the dress

A rich costume of violet-blue brocaded ottoman trimmed with sable and large, blue-embroidered buttons. The slim front outline widens in the back into flaring, eighteenth-century coat-tails above an "amazone" skirt

A "period" suit of myrtle-green cloth. The coat, true to an early nineteenth-century style, is collared and cuffed with sable and waist-coated with an Egyptian red faille brocaded in black, violet, gold



COATS ADAPTED BY BEER IN WHOLE OR IN PART FROM PERIODS

WHEN MASCULINE FASHION WAS A THING TO BE CONJURED WITH,

AS INTRICATE AND ELABORATE AS EVER WOMAN'S DARED TO BE

A S S E E N B Y H I M

FOR those who follow the hounds it has been an excellent season.

The Meadow Brook goes steadily on its round of healthy pastimes, and Long Island has now the Suffolk down Southampton way.

This has had a considerable vogue this autumn. It has kept the Southampton people at their cottages, enjoying as they should their wonderful climate, with the bracing airs of September and October mellowed by an ardent sun and tempered by the soft breezes that blow in from the ocean.

Racing is in again, and this not only because of the popularity of the new Piping Rock Club but because of the energetic efforts of Mr. Joseph E. Davis, Master of the Meadow Brook Hounds, who engineered the scheme. Of course, racing can never be the sport it was in former years. Legislation has killed it; besides it was carried on before on such a lavish scale that it flourished because of the large sums it brought in. Now, at best, it is tame, and the great American stables have all been transferred to France and England. But it was undertaken as a neighborhood sport, and as there was no aviation worth mentioning and as the Vanderbilt Cup has passed to other localities, the meeting at Piping Rock will be quite an event. Besides it will excellently serve its purpose of bringing people together.

Golf has been enjoying a steady revival.

This observation may surprise those who have always been faithful to it, but there is no doubt but that, although it was always popular at Bal-tusrol, at one time it fell into disuse as a fashionable pastime. Now, however, we have returned to a first love. There are crowds on the various links, and many new links have been laid out this autumn, both on private estates and on club grounds.

There were the accustomed promises to keep villas open at Newport until late November, and some few have not broken their faith, but any lessening of gaiety there means comparative dreariness.

The suburban season is now quite as important as that in town. It is here on the countryside that we form and preserve our friendships. Town is so large, people are so widely scattered, and have such divers interests, that we lose sight of our friends during the hurly-burly of the winter. Always we grow more reluctant to open town houses, and are ever willing to sell out and go up higher.

THE OPENING SEASON FOR BUDS

The early winter months are a gay and frivolous period, when we are carried along with the tide. We need initiate no entertaining of our own; it is the season of the young people, and we are at their mercy. No one rebels, for we know how necessary it is to have debutantes properly launched. Some will have only receptions and dances, while others will go the full round of the time-honored tea, now never called by that name, with its music, its flowers, its profusion of indigestible sweets and drinks, the usual dinner, the party to the play, and the final dance, with perhaps a breakfast to follow. This may all seem rather elaborate but it is our scale of living, and we must have everything in keeping with it—the tallest buildings, the greatest bridges, the widest avenues, the most palatial yachts, the best opera, and—well, all the rest of it.

Here and there perhaps young girls will have to content themselves with coming out by subscription or being asked to the Junior Cotillion or to their own little assembly in their own particular neighborhood—each

The Bracing Sports of October—Autumn Brides—Defense of the American Leisure Class Against the Onslaughts of British Carpers

suburban community has a series of dances of some kind. I have even heard these not altogether fortunate young women referred to as "floaters," but when I asked what it meant, I was told that it was only "squab talk." I cannot keep up with the current slang of the day, a little of which is admitted because it is considered smart.

AUTUMN WEDDING BELLS

And then the weddings. More and more it is the custom, if one has a country seat, to celebrate one's marriage out-of-town. On a fair September day, Miss Aileen Osborn was married to Mr. Vanderbilt Webb in the quaint little church of St. Philip in the Highlands at Garrison. The small churchyard is crowded with the resting places of the Fishes of the past, and there are tablets to their memories and virtues in the church where so many of them have been married. But this time it was the daughter of the William Church Osborns and the great-granddaughter of Mr. Dodge, the philanthropist, and the great-grandson of the founder of the Vanderbilt fortunes as well as a descendant of James Watson Webb who

were being married. The church is so small that when the bridal party went in, there was little room for other people. The country folk turned out as if the occasion were a national holiday, and as they had all known the bride since childhood, were as much interested as if they belonged to the family. It was indeed a jolly country wedding.

Miss Thérèse Iselin and Mr. Laughlin, first secretary of the Embassy at Berlin, had their wedding arranged for September 18th. Miss Iselin is a daughter of Mr. Adrian Iselin and Mr. Laughlin is related to the present occupants of the White House.

Miss Antoinette Hecksher and the Hon. Oliver Brett chose October 1st as the day of their wedding, and Miss Agnes Le Roy Edgar has selected October 31st for her marriage to Mr. Stewart Edmund Davis.

Lenox had a most delightful season, and there was a picturesque hunt ball given at Shadowbrook, now the home of Mr. Shotter, and races the following day in a little park situated in a nook nestling among the hills with the silvery Housatonic flowing at the foot of the lawn.

OLD ENGLAND COMPLAINS

From dear old England, so censorious of America and in such a disrupted social condition at the present time, come several complaints.

One of these is against the turkey trot to which Lady Aberdeen at Dublin Castle especially objects. I myself would protest a bit if I saw that fantasy of a single season, now quite *démodé*, danced by Britishers. I once knew an Englishman who remarked frequently that he "danced like a bird," and he did really, and very much like a turkey; hopping around without reversing and not at all in the less dignified but more graceful modified American form of a not very slightly divertisement. Lady Aberdeen is pious and churchgoing and she has probably never seen the dance, but why she should rush at Lady Paget—so say the prints—for an obscure rumor that some Americans had actually trotted these pernicious steps in the latter's Dublin drawing-room, I cannot conceive. Lady Paget at the time had no guests who could do this properly and I doubt much if Lady Granard, who was one of the party, would dream of such a thing.

Then we have cries of a flood of cheap American motor cars. I find that Europeans are coming to America and buying our best cars. In England they use German makes and some Italian. We have generally looked on the French as the best foreign cars. But I know that even the most expensive of these will not last on our roads. One of my friends has just come over from London to purchase one of American make. It is not a cheap car, but it costs much less than some of the foreign ones, and it has all the latest attachments. He explains the comparative cheapness of some high-grade American cars by the fact that we turn out so many thousands all alike, while in Europe they demand individuality.

"BEAMS" AND "NOTES"

Also our English cousins criticize us most severely for the extravagance of our entertainments and particularly for a few which took place at Newport this summer. Of course, we should get over disliking criticism. That is provincial. However, we are a bit thin-skinned when it comes to actual misrepresentation. In the latter case, however, we have only our own press to blame. Two hostesses

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In the quaint little church of St. Philip in the Highlands at Garrison, Miss Aileen Osborn became Mrs. Vanderbilt Webb

WIVES *for the* NEXT GENERATION



ONLY a small proportion of the girls who are now growing into womanhood, and upon whom rest much of the responsibility for the health, morality, and happiness of the coming generation, are properly trained for this responsibility. This, to be sure, is not a new condition. To our forbears it was a state of affairs not at all disquieting, but to the more enlightened present generation it appears in the light of a grievous sin against humanity.

IT would not be difficult to supply the practical part of this essential training for wifedom and motherhood. The profession of housecraft should be one of the most important in modern life, and given adequate attention in our schools and colleges. Well has an enlightened writer said, "Let us magnify the office of the housewife unduly rather than have it unrecognized."

THE housewife's problem, instead of becoming easier, grows more complicated every year. The advance in recent years in the price of larger commodities has drawn attention to some of her economic problems, but most reformers go no further than to advocate tariff changes or the improvement of our present wasteful methods of transportation and distribution. A few advise the teaching of domestic science in the public schools and colleges. This is excellent, but the boundaries of the subject must be extended and it must be put on a more scientific basis before it attains the proportions of a full fledged course. Research schools should apply modern scientific discoveries to all household methods from cookery to the present cumbersome processes of running the home. The planning and furnishing of the house as well as its efficient administration should be included in this new science. Teachers who will inculcate a higher standard of efficiency in feeding, housing, and hygienic conditions must be provided. These teachers should be qualified to instruct women in the whole art of living, which art includes education in taste, as well as in the more practical domestic requirements.

HERE and there an American college dignifies home-craft by making it an important department of the Teacher's College. These schools train students to be not only home makers but teachers of the domestic arts, and managers of institutions. The faculties realize that the woman of to-day is confronted by conditions that have no tradition. The age is scientific, almost every branch of learning and activity has been reconstructed in accordance with our new needs and knowledge, but the home has remained unprogressive. There are now no precedents for the housewife to follow. What she needs is definite instruction as to how she can meet these new demands.

SCHOOLS must be provided, teachers must be trained, a curriculum must be perfected before we can hope to have efficient housewives. All this takes money. Besides this, the girls themselves must be made to realize the importance and the dignity of this work. None could have more influence in this matter, both by reason of their position and their wealth, than women of social position. If they would use their prestige to exalt housecraft in the estimation of the public, and some portion of their wealth in the founding of schools devoted to the interests of this new profession, much could be accomplished toward this worthy end.

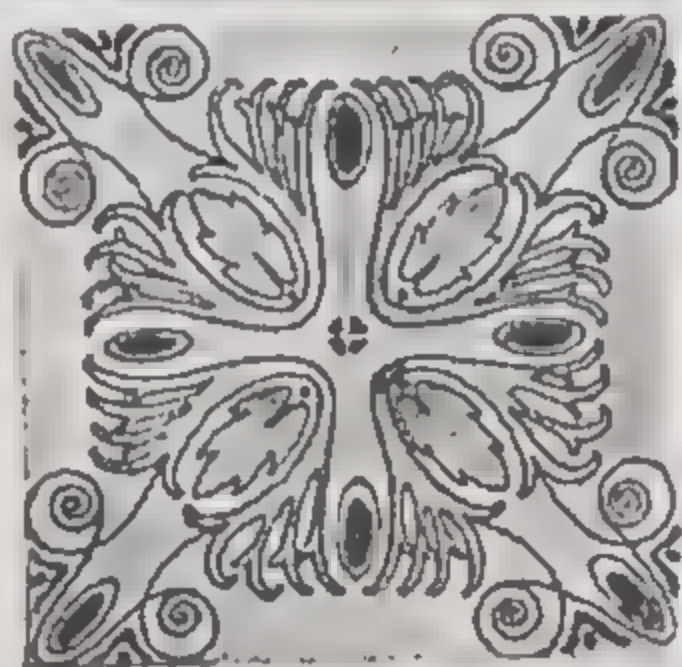


The bodice, familiar though it seems, has several new points—a puckered fullness around the waist, a draped sleeve, and the bands of ribbon crossing the shoulders. The skirt shows the two newest features—the full hip drapery and the long slit. The dress is developed in aquamarine silk and velvet brocade. A matching band of chiffon embroidered in gold crosses the bust. The upper corsage is of cream lace over greenish blue chiffon. The skirt is caught up with velvet-piped buttons and tassels

Verily this is one-sidedness carried to its extreme—the skirt opening, the single pannier, the tassels, the scarf, and the ornaments are all on the left side; even the two sides of the bodice and the two sleeves are quite different. Venetian blue chiffon brocaded in gold and silver and edged with stone marten forms the major part of the gown. The underskirt, pannier, scarf, and the left sleeve are of plaited blue net edged and tasseled with rhinestones. The left side of the bodice is of flesh-colored net, with applications of the brocade embroidered in rhinestones

Many of our present moment dresses give no inkling from the front of what the back is like. The black satin yoke on this blue serge skirt ends at the side seams, and save for the black satin bands which, crossing the bust, tie in a bow behind, the back is perfectly plain. The two skirt seams are defined by circles of soutache set in a line. The bodice is of dark blue chiffon embroidered in big soutache motifs in “mandarin” coloring, and “mandarin” velvet pipings edge the long, black satin sleeves

TO THE MODES AS THEY HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED THUS EARLY IN THE SEASON, WEEKS IS CONTRIBUTING NOTHING NEW, BUT TO THESE RECOGNIZED STYLES HE GIVES LITTLE NEW TWISTS THAT MAKE THEM PRETTILY UNIQUE



YOU ARE SUMMONED TO A WEDDING in what seems to you to be the very busiest week of your life. You must select a gift for the bride, but how to get the time for that trip to the shops? You determine to crowd one more commission into your already overcrowded calendar—that is, unless you are a wise, forethoughtful person. In that case you do nothing of the sort. Instead, go to your desk, write a few lines of direction, draw a check, and send the whole to VOGUE.

THE Shopping Department buys the present, has it suitably marked, and mails it to the bride in plenty of time for the wedding. *The certainty* is that you have avoided all worry in the matter and have sent a present as tasteful and as much appreciated as though you had bought it yourself. *The possibility* is that it has cost less in New York than it would have cost in your own town, in which case, with the Shopping Department's report, there will come also that happiest of all tidings—"money back." If you only knew what a big, capable, utterly reliable machine the Shopping Department is, you would immediately decide to transfer every bit of the troublesome part of your shopping to it.

WHY, only last year a woman living in the South sent the Shopping Department \$600 and asked it to buy a complete Autumn wardrobe. It sounds incredible, doesn't it? Yet she wrote later, "Really, I am the envy of my friends. The things you selected were perfectly lovely, and you have saved me more money than I can estimate. You shall buy all my things hereafter."

FANCY a woman letting anyone else select her piano. The Shopping Department purchased one last year. Think of being sent just a little sample of dress goods and being asked to buy trimmings, a hat, and a belt to match it. The Shopping Department did just that. The purchaser wrote, "It's exquisite."

"I want wall-paper to match such and such a room." The Department gets it.

"I know that there are to be big linen sales in New York next month. Won't you buy me some tablecloths?" The Department buys them, and because of the sales, saves the purchaser a good many dollars.

"Won't you buy me a Pomeranian dog?" Surely.

"I have heard the title of this book but I don't know the publishers. Can you get it for me?" Certainly.

BIG commissions and little, furnishings for a room and a spool of thread—the Shopping Department gets them all. At your elbow stands the most efficient corps of helpers a busy woman ever had. You may have more than sufficient means, yet you could hardly duplicate them, and however moderate your income, they are yours to command. It is no reflection on your judgment to say that they know shopping values better than you do, for they are constantly in and out of the finest shops of the biggest city. It is no reflection on your taste to say that they can plan a costume or decorate a room or select the fitting thing for the proper occasion even better than you can, for they are trained in home and costume and social planning. You know that a line will command them, you know that your time is so full that you need help desperately—and yet you do not write the line.

WHAT we editors would like you to do this very minute is to write down one thing that you expect to purchase in the next two weeks. Never mind whether it is important or unimportant, whether it can be had in your local shops or not. You are going to use it—this thing you want to buy—merely as a test. You are going to let it answer this question, "Is this shopping department what it claims to be? Can it really help me?" You will not wait long for your answer. You will discover a new friend of wonderful helpfulness, one who has most time when you have least, who is most obliging when other friends are tired and fretful, who asks no remuneration, one on whose capable shoulders you can unload all the unpleasant part of your shopping.

A SHORT-HAIRED, pliable coney skin, dyed the color of mole, makes an excellent, well-cut, light-weight fur coat. Such a coat, fifty-two inches long, is sketched here. The striped effect is obtained by alternating smooth skins with rough. The long sleeves are set into large arm-holes. The shawl collar extends to the waist in front, where a slight drapery is caught and held in place by two velvet frogs. Two sets of buttons are placed at the collar and down the front, one of velvet, the other of fur, to enable the wearer to fasten the coat either loosely or snugly, as the weather demands. In the back the coat hangs straight from the shoulder to a short distance below the knee, where it is joined to a circular band of the fur made of horizontally laid skins. The brocaded satin lining may be had in the mole shade or in any one of several contrasting colors. Price, \$165.

The large pillow muff which accompanies the coat is striped in a similar manner and is lined with brocaded satin. Price, \$35.

The large picture hat, slightly rolled on the left side, is of taupe plush, faced with black velvet and bound with silk braid. A charming touch of color is given by introducing cerise flues at the end of the cleverly placed, taupe ostrich feather. This model will be de-



The striped effect is obtained by alternating smooth skins of mole-dyed coney with rough

veloped in several other colors for \$15.50.

Red fox is one of the favorites among the long-haired furs. In the figure on the right is seen a good-looking set that shades beautifully from red to deep cream. The scarf consists of two whole skins so caught together that they may be hung over the shoulders in several different ways.

A fox's head adorns the middle of the large pillow muff, and the tails and claws are allowed to dangle.

This set of furs is especially appropriate for the school-girl, for it is not as perishable as the shorter-haired furs, and with care should last for several seasons. Both the scarf and the muff are lined with a good quality brown satin, and the whole set may be had for \$67.50.

The strictly tailored hat worn with these furs is of a fine quality of two-toned felt. The crown is reddish brown, and the brim is black. A small, shaded tan fancy placed on either side of the front is the only trimming. The same model is made up with a crown in any one of several colors for \$10.50.

BLUE SERGE FOREVER!

A good quality of blue serge is used for the frock in the lower left-hand corner of this page. The bodice is designed in cutaway coat effect, and is completely bound with narrow black silk braid. Braided ornaments centered with a contrasting shade of blue, and elaborate buttons trim the



A lovely model for the indispensable black evening gown



Still another interpretation of the perennially popular blue serge

SEEN in the SHOPS

Fur Anticipations—Two Wardrobe Indispensables—Leather Novelties That are Ornamentally Useful



Serviceable red fox is deservedly one of the favorites among the long-haired furs

lapped-over waist and skirt and the long sleeves.

The flat collar of old-blue cloth is embroidered in brilliant Turkish colors. The chemisette is of white point d'esprit, and may easily be removed if the collarless effect is desired. The opening of the skirt is in the center-front, while the habit back has a slight fullness which is held in at the waist by a buttoned strap of braid. This serviceable frock is moderately priced at \$29.50.

GOWN OF SOMBER BEAUTY

On the left of this dress is illustrated an evening frock of black charmeuse. Black chiffon drapes the right shoulder, while over the left is brought a particularly pretty piece of shadow lace. The flowers in the design are outlined at intervals with small rhinestone studs, and a narrow band of these brilliants edges the low neck and the hemstitched net fold which falls from under the short chiffon sleeve. Jet rings hang here



A conservative shape in a leather shopping bag

and there from ming, and two roses, one black white, are tucked into the waist.

The straight skirt, which opens on the left side, lengthens into a squarely cut to be applied bias slightly draped and is held at the waist by a lovely buckle. Price, \$10.50.

LEATHER NOVELTIES

There is much new in leather goods this season. The manufacturers have nothing to show in the way of compact, handy, and useful things, they spend all efforts in making the cases.

The design of the shopping bag on this page is unusually good-looking. The square, inlaid frame of the design is topped with a leather strap which is held in place by a small tab which assists in closing the bag. The long, flexible strap has a small slide by which



Black suede outlined with silver, appropriate for light mourning

ortened or lengthened. The inside has a pocket in which is tucked a seal change purse. Price, \$12.95. Leather novelty that has recently imported is illustrated at the bottom of this page. It is a bag of black al lined with black moire silk and with the puff case, mirror, slate, silver pencil. Besides the pockets these accessories there are two partitions for carrying money and the for a handkerchief. The long silk as a braided slide to which is attached two heavy tassels. By adjusting the bag may be lengthened or reduced at will. Price, \$25.

At the top of the page is shown a tie of black morocco lined with black. Nickel sockets are so placed as to securely hold a rod over which may be run a number of ties. The leather at the bottom of the case keeps the rod in place. A large hook in the middle of the rod makes it possible to hang the case in the place most convenient, but this hook can be laid flat when the case is shut. The dimensions when closed are fourteen by six inches, price is \$5.

THE FAVORED OBLONG PURSE

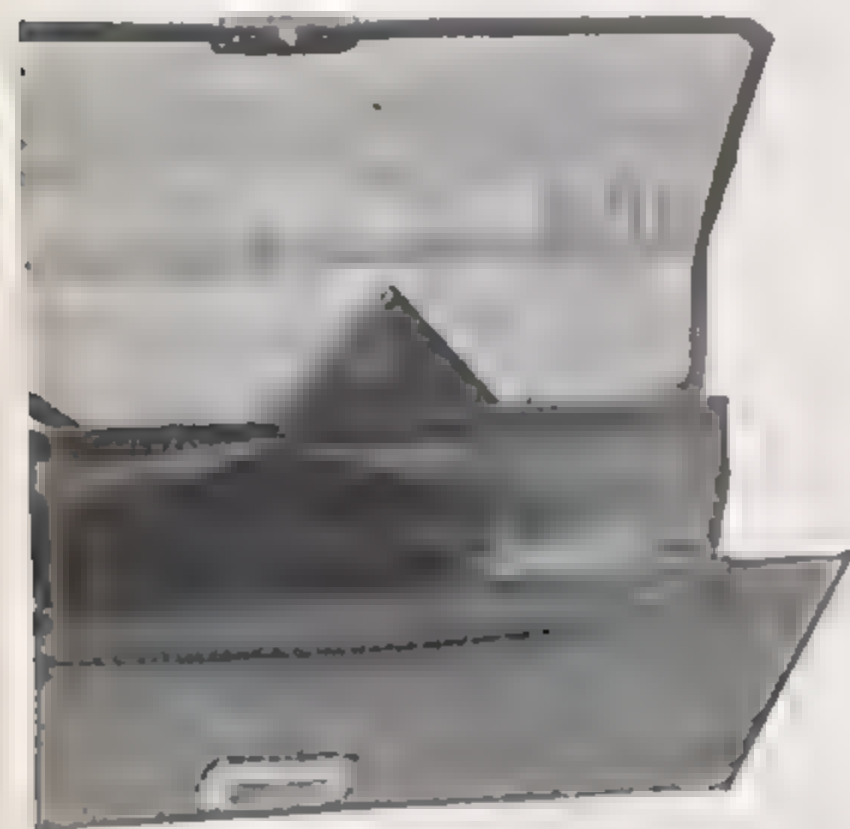
The purse illustrated in the lower, right corner of this page is of soft leather, ten inches long and four and a half inches wide. The inside is lined off to hold a pad and a mirror. Price, \$15.

Excellent quality of black suede is the oblong purse shown directly below. When closed it measures nine and a half by three and one-half inches. The shaped flap is outlined with a band of silver. The inside is lined with lavender moire silk, and fitted with a small mirror, a silicate slate, and a silver pencil.

The pocketbook is held by a strap fastened to the center-back. It may be had in several different colors of leather with a black or silver lining. Price, \$20.

More elaborate and a trifle more expensive is seen in the upper left corner. Black morocco is the material, the lining is of black moire silk. The tab fastening is partly of silver. On the inside is found the convenient outfit that the purse above contains. These two are particularly appropriate for light mourning, a touch of silver on the flaps is permissible. Price, \$20.

Another purse, a long, oval shape, is shown directly below. It is six and a half inches long, and is made of black, silver-mounted, and lined with black moire silk. The opening is spacious, and besides having a silicate slate, pencil, and mirror is an extra pocket which will be useful. This purse costs \$25. At the same price it may be had in any of the several different kinds popular this year.



Oval shape for leather purses is the preferred one



A leather tie holder shown open and ready for duty, and closed into flat case form



A leather chest for tourists is filled with utensils for preparing a hot, wayside collation

The tourist who is ever on the lookout for conveniences to add to his creature comforts will be interested in the leather chest illustrated below the tie holder. It is two feet long and eight and three-quarter inches wide. It looks like a well-made, small trunk or chest, and contains a chafing dish that is compactly turned down over the hot water pan in which is set an alcohol lamp. These are held securely together by a nickel band. For compactness' sake the ebony handle to the chafing dish, as well as to the lamp, unscrews, and the feet and handles of the pans collapse and are folded flat, each into its own compartment. A nickel-silver percolator with an ebony handle, a thermos bottle with an extra stopper, and a hot water receptacle with its individual alcohol lamp complete the contents of this traveling outfit. Price, \$27.

A useful bit of compactness to tuck in the traveling bag is a sterling silver teaspoon with a gold-finished bowl, to the handle of which is attached a corkscrew, quite large and strong enough to draw the corks of bottles that are ordinarily carried

in small trunks or bags. This screw, when not in use, folds flat in the bowl of the spoon, and the whole measures only three inches. Price, \$4. Silver spoons in different sizes are made in the same collapsible manner. A tablespoon and teaspoon that fold together are packed in a seal leather case. Price, \$7.

EXCELLENT \$1 GLOVES

One of the most reliable of the many glove shops in town is now carrying in its regular stock a heavy, one-clasp, kid walking glove of excellent quality. It is well made, with the spear back and the rough finished seams, in different shades of tan as well as white, and they cost only \$1. A piqué glove of lighter weight than the regulation walking glove is sold by this same shop, and at the same price, in white, tan or black in almost any size. Still another style, appropriate for more formal wear, is made of a soft, pliable kid with two clasps and over-seamed fingers. This style comes in white, black, tans, and grays for the same price, \$1.

A number of the shops are displaying



An imported cordelière filled with the usual vanity accessories



The leather and silver tab fastening is a trifle out of the ordinary

handkerchiefs made of a new fabric brought from England. They are to be had in all white or bordered in various designs and tints, as well as cross-patterned in harmonizing colors. The hems are finely stitched, twenty-four stitches to the inch. The average handkerchief at the same price is considered good value if it has but fourteen stitches to the inch. The colors are fast, and the material retains its luster after laundering. They are priced at 25 cents each.

EIDERDOWN BOOTIES

A necessary accessory to the baby's wardrobe is the tiny bootie. Some very attractive ones are made of white, tan, or gray eiderdown lined with a delicate shade of pink or blue China silk. The tongue of the bootie, on which is embroidered a spray of ribbon flowers, is fastened to the sole by a row of colored silk fagoting. The fastening of the bootie is effected by a ribbon with wee rosettes at each end drawn through crocheted loops on the sides. These booties launder well, and are delightfully warm. Price, \$1.50.

JET ACCESSORIES

That touch of black, that note of accent which straightway gives character to a costume, is now displayed in a type of jewelry and accessories of bright cut jet, which is not to be confounded with mourning jewelry.

At the exceedingly low price at which some very effective bits are offered, one need not hesitate to indulge this fad of the moment. One pretty necklace consists of tiny jet beads made up in twisted strands on the order of the seed pearl necklace of the past season. One large bead in back forms the clasp. Such a necklace may be had for from 50 cents up.

Small change purses of jet beads with gun-metal frames and ring chains to slip over the finger may be had for \$2.

SCINTILLATING HAIR ORNAMENTS

A new and charming variety of pearl and rhinestone hair bands, becoming to almost any coiffure, is being shown in one of the leading shops. One style that is particularly attractive is formed by a lattice-work of pearls which is about two inches wide. Just above either ear is placed an encrusted pearl ornament with pearl tassels. This band, oriental in effect, is priced at \$8. Another costing \$4.25 is composed of a narrow band of pearls and rhinestones strung on an invisible wire that is so pliable that it can be made to follow the lines of any coiffure.

Really very beautiful are the little, close-fitting Juliet caps formed entirely of pearls. These range in price from \$4 to \$15, and look particularly well over flat, low-dressed hair. The top of the cap consists of a lattice-work of small seed pearls. This is finished with a close-fitting, encrusted band of pearls.



A long, oval purse with exceptionally large compartments

SMART FASHIONS for LIMITED INCOMES

The Draperies Used to Achieve the New Silhouette, and the Modish Contrasting Skirt and Jacket, Cleverly Managed Though They Must Be to Attain Smartness, Yet Are Boons to the Woman of Limited Means

THE winter fashions are now taking definite form, and it is none too early to select the essentials of the winter wardrobe—the suit, tailored dress, afternoon gown, separate blouse, dinner gown, and evening wrap.

The smart serge dress is not always easy to achieve, but to the right is one of a simple cut with drapery suggested in a clever way. It is made of dark blue serge, and the delightful part is that it may be worn over a guimpe of either white or dark blue satin. The white is decidedly smarter, while the blue is more practical, especially if the dress is to be worn under a coat. The new draped line, an essential of even tailored clothes this season, is given this skirt, not alone by the cut of the overdress, but also by the soft plait laid in the front. This is pressed, but not stitched. It is a far-away echo of the pannier—the evolution suitable for the fabric and the requirements of such a dress. The back of the skirt is slightly eased across the top of the waist-band, and falls straight in swallow-tail effect; only in the movement of the figure is the drapery perceptible. The simple little waistcoat is finished with a cording of the material. The drapery demands that serge in its most supple form be chosen for this model.

The cut of the satin guimpe is obvious. The slight fullness at the wrist is gathered into a narrow band finished by a frill of shadow lace or net. The dress opens down the front.



A simple way to achieve the modish silhouette—side drapery and a loose panel down the back

Charmeuse in midnight blue, black, and taupe is much used in the imported models. The frock on the left would be charming for luncheon. The waist, which opens down the front, is quite plain, with a small V opening at the neck finished by a frill of shadow lace and a collar pointing toward the shoulder. This pointed collar is seen on many of the French gowns, and is a generally becoming style. The long,



Unless expertly handled, the serge dress is apt to fail of smartness, a pitfall which this model avoids

tight sleeves are cut in one piece, made perfectly plain, and buttoned at the wrist over deep ruffles of the cream shadow lace.

DEVELOPING THE NEW SILHOUETTE

The underskirt is a plain gored model; the drapery is formed by a straight strip of the material (half a width if the material is 45 inches wide), with the ends slightly gathered to the waist-band and the length of the strip joined in the center-back. When this has been done, the drapery comes of itself. The skirt opens in the center-back under a separate strip which forms the panel and quite conceals the seam. Without being extreme, this model has the double advantage of being advanced and simple to make.

It would not take over five yards of 40 or 45-inch charmeuse, and the only trimming is the shadow lace. Fifteen to twenty dollars should cover the cost. The model is also suitable for chiffon velvet in midnight blue with the collar either of white or black.

One of the features which has been insisted upon this winter is the combination of plain and brocaded materials. It is noticeable in evening gowns, reception gowns, wraps, and the suits of the more formal sort.

COMBINING PLAIN AND BROCADED MATERIALS

In evening gowns and wraps the most sumptuous gold brocaded satins and velours are used; the figures, as a rule, are rather large. Such strikingly patterned materials have a way of remaining in the memory, and for this reason are not a wise selection when they must be worn often. This season, however, the women of limited purse may indulge in one garment of this material, if it is carefully handled. The self-brocaded crêpes de Chine, satins, cloths, and velvets, however, are a different matter, and may be more freely used. This season they will mark a gown or wrap as distinctly of the moment.

The street costume on the left might have the coat of brocaded silk with a



A contrasting jacket of brocade will mark the street costume as indubitably of this season



Charmeuse or a brocaded material, rather than chiffon or lace, is now used for the modish separate blouse

skirt of plain charmeuse or finely-ribbed silk of the same color. Or last season's velvet gown could be slightly remodeled and a new coat made of brocaded velvet. The collar should be of contrasting satin, and the coat edges may be bound or not, as desired, with the material of the skirt. The cutaway, which has been steadily gaining in favor, is now quite the most pronounced note in tailored suits. The sloping, backward line dominates the present modes. "It is the movement," as designers say.

The length of coats is always an interesting question. For the last few seasons the Paris houses have shown much diversity in this matter. This winter long coats in the swallow-tail effect will undoubtedly be smart, but, though a bit more conservative, the medium length is a wiser selection.

The effect of drapery is given this skirt in a simple way. Three plaits are laid in at the side front seam, are draped upward toward the back, and caught into the side back panel or seam of the skirt.

ACCORDION PLAITED MODELS

Accordion plaited skirts of cloth with jackets of velvet or corduroy are to be much worn this season. These suits are very possible for a limited dress allowance, as the skirt can be made at home after the plaiting is done. The jacket should be made by a tailor or dressmaker; coats are rarely a success in unskilled hands. Straight widths of the material are used for the skirt, not gored in at the top, and the plaits are the straight accordion variety. Three yards of cloth will make one yard of plaiting. The widths should be seamed up and the hem put in before sending to the plaiters, but the skirt is not joined until after it is plaited. The charge for this style of plaiting is 25 cents a yard.

One of the French importations for the winter is of white broadcloth and black corduroy. The skirt is of the white cloth in straight accordion plaits, laid under at the top to fit the raised



A frock somewhat passé is put on good terms with the season's modes by an overdrapery of velvet

which is unpleasingly harsh. The sleeves, however, have gained a little in size. In place of a bit of tulle, Worth has shown the beauty of a trifle of chiffon, sometimes in the shape of long angel sleeves.

The gown on the left suggests a Francis model. It shows a bodice of silver lace and chiffon with a draped section of pale pink chiffon velvet. This forms the complete back, and in the front is caught up in a way suggesting the drapery of Cleopatra's time. The edges are bordered by skunk which accentuates the line, while the touch of the great designer is given in the black velvet poppies at the waist-line.

The value of this model to the woman of limited income is that a last season's gown could be metamorphosed into a copy of it by the use of a velvet drapery in the skirt,

to be really successful should be made entirely by hand, for the finishing of the collar and the cording of the sleeves require the lightness of hand-stitchery.

THE NEW SHORT WRAP

Not very many of these have been seen as yet, but these few come from authorities. Here is one, which blends the mandarin coat, the kimono, and the draped coat. The original French model was of black brocaded velvet with the collar of white rabbit. Any brocaded material could be used with the collar and cuffs of fox or rabbit; or, if these are not obtainable, white plush would produce much the same effective contrast. This model is cut kimono style, with the seam down the center-back and under the arms; the drapery is the natural result of the cut. The closing should be well to the side to give the swathed silhouette. The linings of such wraps are wonderfully attractive this season: bright, plain colors or enchanting figured materials are used, harmonizing, of course, with the wrap, but

models show a collar which may roll back; the latter, however, is better mode.

A GOOD NEGLIGÉE

On this page is shown a negligée which is truly delightful, as it combines the essentials of beauty and adaptability to tubbing. It is merely a straight length of material with the front half, split in the middle and a neck cut out. The neck is then finished by a collar edged with lace, and the lace is carried down the front.

The side edges are also finished with lace and the garment is held together by ribbon run through buttonholes. This eliminates the side seam, giving rather an angel sleeve, and makes a lightful rest robe.

For laundering one need only to pull out the ribbon and the garment lies a flat piece. Crêpe de Chine, China silk, silk crêpe, and dotted Swiss are all good materials.

Note.—In order to make the "Smart Fashions for Limited Incomes" department of greater practical value to the woman of restricted means, Vogue is cut to order, in 36 bust only, the patterns of models published under this department at the special price of \$1 for separate skirt, jacket or bodice; \$2 for a long coat, whole suit or gown; \$1 for a negligée.



A wrap, short and closely draped, is the newest design in evening coat importation

waist-line. The bodice is of white lace veiled with black chiffon cloth, and the jacket of black corduroy is fastened low at one side and has two square overlapping revers, the under one of white broadcloth, and the upper one of the corduroy. Bits of the white cloth are inserted in the cuffs.

This fashion of contrasting skirt and coat is much liked by the designers, and for the slender purse it is a style not to be ignored. A short length of cloth and another of velvet may often be picked up at the remnant counters at less than half the original cost of the materials by the yard. A smart suit of Chéruit's for morning wear shows a plain, side-draped skirt of heavy, corded, dark blue cheviot with short cutaway jacket of gray corduroy, trimmed with collars and cuffs of black satin. Vests of black satin or black taffeta, buttoning from the neck to the bottom of the cutaway jacket, are smart features of many Chéruit suits.

DRAPERY IN EVENING DRESSES

We can now fairly wrap ourselves in supple stuffs. Not that there is anything voluminous or bulky about the gowns, far from it; there is less amplitude to them than ever. The necks are very low, especially in the back, the bottom of the skirts often show an opening in the front or at the side usually veiled by transparent lace or chiffon, far prettier, by the way, than the unadorned slit

and of net or shadow lace for angel sleeves to put them on good terms with this season's modes.

THE SEPARATE BLOUSE

To be really smart the blouse must no longer be of chiffon and lace. Plain satin, brocaded materials of every sort, and some of the silks with a sprig of color, are used.

The model shown on page 39 is most happy, combining as it does the long, tight sleeves, the double collar, and the differing revers, one of shadow lace, the other of satin. The original was of white charmeuse, but the model could be of any of the new materials. In a brocaded crêpe the lace revers could be replaced by one of plain chiffon. The softness of line this waist should have is best gained by a lining of China silk or chiffon cloth. A side front opening would be most practical. Such a waist

generally by way of a decided contrast.

These costumes should provide the essentials for the round of social engagements. A plain tailor-made suit should, of course, be added. In choosing the material for this, it would be well to consider the rough ones—the cut velours, the two-toned velours, the plain velours de laine, and the ratines. The plainer the cut the better, though the collar and revers may suggest, without actually being, the Robespierre style. Some cleverly cut



Pull the ribbon out and the negligée lies in a straight length of cloth ready for laundering

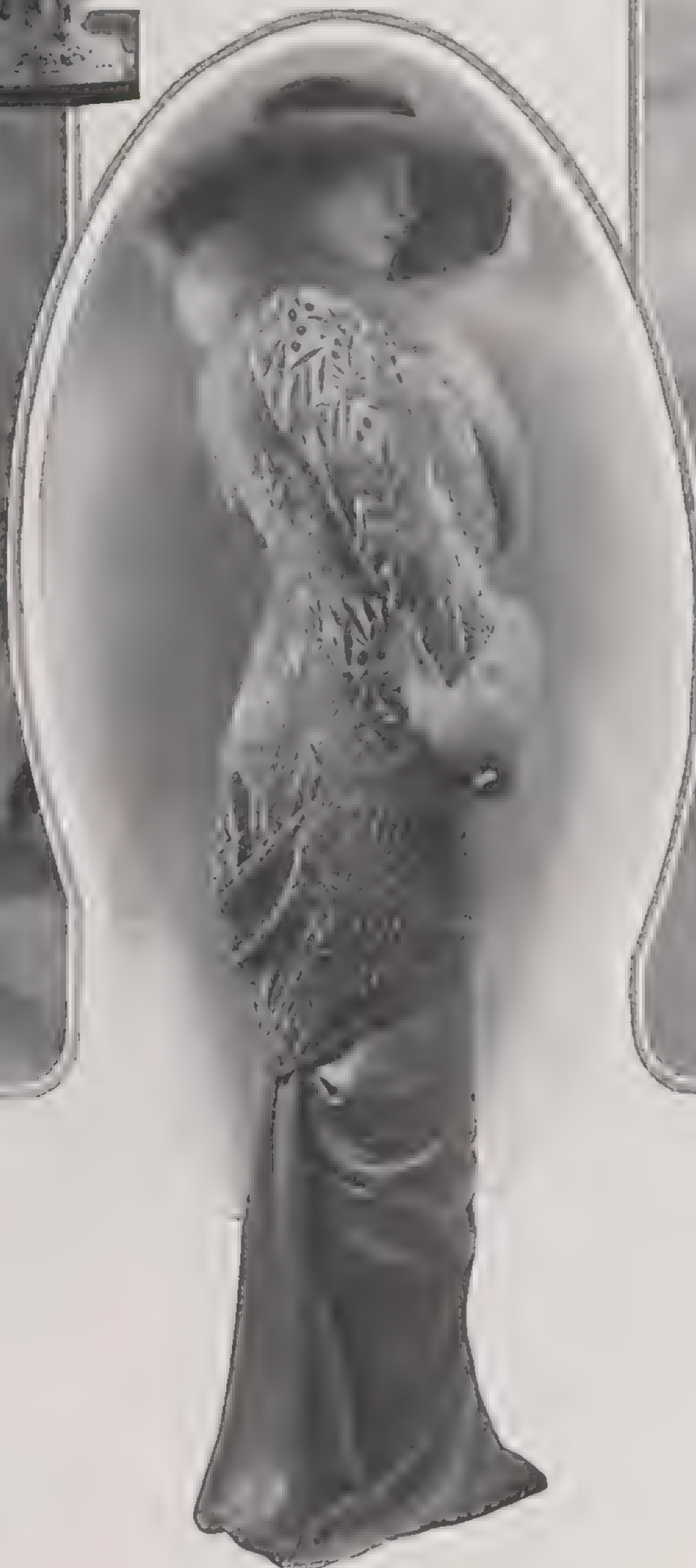


By reason of its richness charmeuse is almost inevitably companioned with brocade for street costumes. The combination, practically that so much favored by the last Louis', naturally suggests the masculine cut of the same period, and given the brown of the skunk as the color motif, the scheme of raisin charmeuse for the skirt and stamped two-toned raisin velvet for the jacket naturally develops

BROCADE, LARGELY BECAUSE OF THE RICH COLOR CONTRASTS IT NECESSITATES, DEVELOPS A MOST STRIKING



Gold tissue forms the background for a figure of taupe velvet, and a taupe aigrette, embedded deep in the bonnet, is finished with a twisted wool rope which intertwines with it



Will the tendency to give a bouffant effect over the hips result in a defined waist-line? we ask. At least it does away with the accustomed straight back line



Comparing this view of the costume with the opposite side view below, we note that the two are widely different—the drapery is bunched into a rosette on the left and caught under a back panel on the right. The steel blue of the fox fur is carried down into the charmeuse of the skirt and into the background of the velvet brocaded silk of the jacket, the raised velvet figure of which is of a deeper blue

COSTUME, AND ONE WHICH WILL BE FREQUENTLY SEEN AT THE FASHIONABLE FUNCTIONS OF THE WINTER

WHERE *the* LONDONER SHOPS



A tailless ermine crown and a tête de nègre plush brim unite two novel features

THERE is a great fascination in London shopping whether it be on the fashionable high-ways or in the hidden byways where firms which do not publish their worth abroad keep their most cherished goods for those lucky clients who reach them via the road of personal recommendation.

In the new hats displayed in one of these out-of-the-way shops, and several of which are shown in the three sketches on this page, there are many novel features. One is the use of tailless ermine, another the feather flowers, and the third, the plush hat. These plush picture hats are exceedingly soft, and are smartest with the long side line. There is a tendency to line these and other hats with very heavy and gorgeously colored embroidery, so heavy, in fact, that it resembles macramé work. The French sailor hat built either of the plush or the brocade will be a very popular model here this winter. Soft felts will figure more conspicuously for traveling or out-of-town wear.

The toque sketched in the upper, left-hand corner of this page is of plush in one of the new and curious colors called *tête de nègre*, and most clearly described as a dirty brown. It looks well when set against white, and does not give so startling a contrast as when jet black is employed. Here the brim is of plush, and the puffy crown of tailless ermine. The high osprey is also tinted in this new shade.

Gold in various tones will be a color much patronized this winter by the best dressed Londoners. The second hat, illustrated at the bottom of this page, is an elongated French sailor made of old-gold velvet, the brim bordered on the top with skunk and lined underneath with an embroidery the ground-work of which is tan woven with a design in deep rose, orange, canary, and green.

The sketch above shows one of the smartest of the new millinery modes. The boat shape is covered with soft black plush and trimmed with a flat ostrich feather in stone blue laid across the front, while two ostrich quills in the same shade stand out at the back. On the right-hand side the feather is caught down by a feather flower in a delicate shade of mauve.

TRIMMING NOVELTIES

These feather flowers are more like a single aster than like any other bloom. One hat entirely made of tailless ermine with the little black tails appearing on

the right side only, where a mitered end of the fur was arranged, had, placed on the left side, two feather flowers, one of ultramarine and the other of cerise.

The stiff quill or cluster of quills will be quite out of favor this autumn and winter. The soft and pliable quills of the lyre-bird will be used in its place. One hat of old-rose moire antique had a crown entirely encircled with a lyre-bird quill which swept way out at the left side.

Brilliant little merles will be another form of trimming. A hat of *tête de nègre* plush with an encircling band of deep, Nankin blue silk fastening with a neat, flat bow had, on its left side, a merle in glowing green tints with a tail formed from a long eagle's feather dyed old-gold.

HOW FUR IS USED

Sets consisting of hat, scarf or collarette, and pillow muff are much in evidence. A smart, black velvet picture hat was trimmed with a bow formed of gray fox, from which rose a plume of natural-colored aigrettes. The muff to match was formed of bands of gray fox, between which were arranged puffs of cream chiffon. Another set of collarette, hat, and muff was made of beige satin trimmed with ostrich.

A little motor bonnet novelty had a crown made to represent the petals of a flower carried out in old-gold silk, with each petal buttonholed in gold silk. The brim was formed of seal-dyed musquash and the long, sweeping veil which reached almost to the ground was of seal brown ninon.

A well-known furrier who has dealt only in wholesale trade has opened a retail department, and his prices are really surprising. A set of black fox, the stole with three skins, the large muff with two skins and masks and tails, is priced as low as 7½ guineas although it is worth considerably more. This firm is also specializing in squirrel coats and sets; a muff and stole can be bought for 5½ guineas, and a long coat for 20 guineas. Some very fine musquash coats, seal-dyed, are priced at 19½ guineas, coats for which as a rule one is asked £30 to £35.

LACES AND LINENS

A well-known London firm has been enterprising enough, not only to specialize in the most beautiful lace, but also to give to their customers two little booklets on "How to Take Care of Your Lace" and "How to Recognize the Various Kinds of Lace at a Glance." It is no easy matter to distinguish between Irish crochet and Irish Point, in fact only a few people know that there is a distinction. The books are full of interesting hints telling of the kinds of lace that wash best and which kinds should be sent to the cleaner. The reader is taught those subtle differences which tell the prospective buyer whether the lace is made by machine or with a bobbin or needle.

This firm is showing some very beautiful examples of dinner and luncheon sets to be used on old English oak or mahogany tables, instead of the all-covering cloth. A set in real Irish crochet costs 77s. 6d. for a table center; 140 shillings a dozen for dinner mats for meat plates; and 77s. 6d. a

Bond, Regent, and Oxford Streets and Their Many Subsidiary Arteries Form the Twentieth Century Mart for English Wares of All Descriptions



Feather flowers that look much like asters are the newest trimming fantasies

dozen for little mats for the glasses. A similar set can be bought in a most beautiful design of Carrickmacross lace at the following prices: table center, 92s. 6d., and the two sizes of mats at 115s. 6d. and 47 shillings a dozen, respectively.

Table cloths of the finest damask can now be bought with a design to match the period of the table over which they will be spread. Thus a Georgian design costs from 23 to 126 shillings, according to the size, while an Adams cloth is sold for about the same price. A Chippendale table-cloth will cost from 78 to 80 shillings, and one can ask for Empire, Regency, Sheraton, or Queen Anne table-cloths, and obtain them.

At present London seems to be full of bargains in handkerchiefs. A firm in Oxford Street is selling some really marvelous designs. A handkerchief case in fine linen, hand-embroidered with clusters of butterflies on the wing, held six fine, real linen handkerchiefs; each corner showed a spray of hand-worked embroidery. The whole set complete

cost only 3 shillings. Other more elaborate handkerchiefs, priced at 1s. 11¼d. a half dozen were heavily embroidered in one corner with butterflies or wreaths of flowers, and although this embroidery was not worked by hand, it bore the appearance of having been stitched by fingers and not by machinery. Other handkerchiefs with little sprays of flowers round the single initial were marked as low as 2s. 9d. a dozen, and yet looked very good. The secret is that the firm is specializing in these goods and buys in enormous quantities.

IN THE TOILET GOODS WORLD

Plain silver for the dressing table is not in such great demand as it used to be but neither are the ornate patterns. Both have given way to the most delicate beaten patterns, some of which look like old lace or fine spotted muslin.

Tortoise-shell, though rather expensive, seems to be in high favor. A manicure set made entirely of tortoise-shell and set in a tortoise-shell box lined with beige velvet is priced at £15 10s. A dressing table set in plain tortoise-shell costs £20, and a more elaborate design with a lacy Empire pattern of inlaid silver, sells for £34 10s.

A beautiful leather known as silver mole calf is being sold in Regent Street. Dainty goods of every kind can be procured in this leather. A large handbag is priced anywhere from 14s. 6d. to 25s. A purse can be bought for 3s. 6d. Ladies' cigarette cases with silver-gilt corners and stamped initials cost £1.

A useful novelty for those who spend their week-ends in out-of-town sports is called "the week-end slipper." It is made of a soft brown leather lined with mauve, is folded flat, and fitted into a leather case, also mauve-lined. The price is 8s. 6d. It will be found wonderfully comfortable after a day in heavy walking boots.

The modern "housewife" (a little case fitted with scissors, thimble, thread, etc.) includes in its correct fittings a cigarette case, matches, and patent lighter. The firm which produces this is showing dainty little dressing bags with everything of Lilliputian size to match. One especially pretty bag of beech-brown leather, lined with old-gold, is packed with diminutive fittings in silver gilt. Another in purple with a gray lining is fitted with silver. Price, 5 guineas.

Gloves are particularly reasonable in the London shops this autumn. Soft kid, three-button gloves are sold for 1s. 8½d., sixteen-button evening gloves for 3s. 11d., and heavy tan calf, country gloves for 2s. 11½d.

At a Bond Street firm three-button kid gloves in all colors are being sold for 2s. 8d., twelve-button mousquetaire for 4s. 6d., and twenty-button gloves for 7s. 11d. A good suède glove in black, white, tan, cream, pastel tints, navy, brown, or mole may be purchased for 3 shillings. Chamois leather gloves to the elbow are priced at 2s. 11d., and two-button, white washable doeskin, piqué sewn gloves cost 2s. 6d.

Note.—In American money, 1 guinea equals, approximately, \$5.25; 1s. (shilling), 25 cents, and 1d. (penny), 2 cents.



Hats are being lined with gorgeously colored embroidery resembling macramé work



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THES HERSELF IN GOWNS IN WHICH THE PREVAILING
HIONS ARE MODIFIED TO SUIT HER STATUESQUE LINES

GOWNS FROM KURZMAN



Of great richness and dignity is this
gown of black marquisee solidly
woven with black and silver beads.
Lines of rhinestones on the bodice
and angel sleeves of silver gauze, a
jeweled butterfly and a Florentine
cap, add their glittering quota to the
resplendent whole



THE SEMI-PRECIOUS ART

"L'ART Nouveau" is based, like the craftsman work of ancient Greece, on the principle that the intrinsic value of the article must be secondary in importance to the workmanship. This phase of art, affording as it does unlimited scope for originality, has always found enthusiastic support among the best designers in Paris. The choice of odd materials, the profuse use of enamel, and the delicate carving and tracery characteristic of the school, make the settings peculiarly suitable for semi-precious stones, though not infrequently a brilliant gem is seen to best advantage mounted in one of these curious designs in dull enamels.

THE MASTER-JEWELER

Among the most prominent of the artists in this field is, undoubtedly, Monsieur Lucien Gaillard. Some of Monsieur Gaillard's most beautiful designs are executed in horn enriched with gold and silver and studded with precious stones—a modest, unassuming substance this, but the beauty of his work proves that from the least expensive materials may be produced an object of the highest artistic value.

In the filet seen to the left of the chain, he has executed a long, slender stem of horn which twines close to the head. At one end is an upright cluster of carved leaves flecked with opal dewdrops, at the other, from its deep, delicate gold setting, glistens a great, rough opal, highly polished and full of gleaming, fiery lights.

The second filet, shown to the right of the chain, is in the form of a woodland garland. A small branch of carved acorns is shaped to encircle the head. At one side, in aigrette form, rises a cluster of daintily carved leaves inlaid with stripes of white and colored enamel, and with each separate leaf division studded with sparkling diamonds.

WORKMANSHIP COMES FIRST

In horn likewise are the three combs illustrated, but they are so richly ornamented with diamonds and pearls as to seem to be entirely made of these stones. Designed with long, thin prongs, they slip deep down into the hair so that the stones massed thickly at the top alone are visible. One, to the left of the mirror, shows a cluster of diamond flowers, each composed of a multitude of tiny stones so arranged that the dark brown of the horn showing through the settings gives a most unusual appearance, somewhat as though the diamonds were themselves gray, brown, and yellow. Long, pointed, lightly ribbed lily leaves of horn spread out on either side and across the stems of the diamond studded flowers which extend to form the prongs of this delicate comb.

The comb on the right shows a most elaborate piece of carving. The entire top is formed of a network of thin-stemmed flowers which spring from a base of richly colored leaves; each separate stem ends in a large flower which is formed of a single baroque pearl.

The third, in yet a different style, low and broad, has a top carved in a square lattice-work through which runs a festooned garland of carved roses. In the center, surrounded with diamonds, is an oval bas-relief medallion of a piquant little Cupid, full length.

A unique use of this favored material is seen in the assortment of artistic umbrella handles. The illustration on the right shows a long,



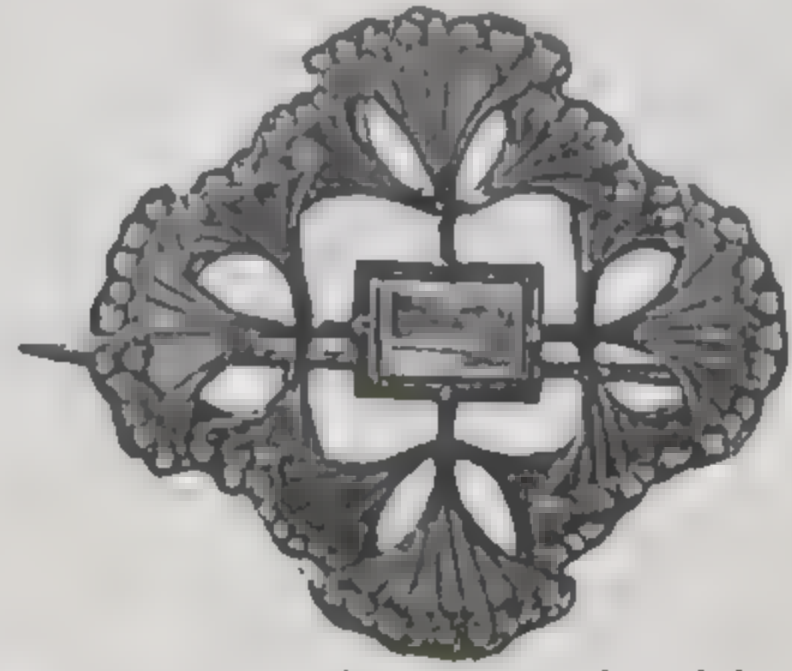
An opal and a spray of leaves glistening with opal dewdrops



Three beautifully colored butterflies surround a great, green tourmaline



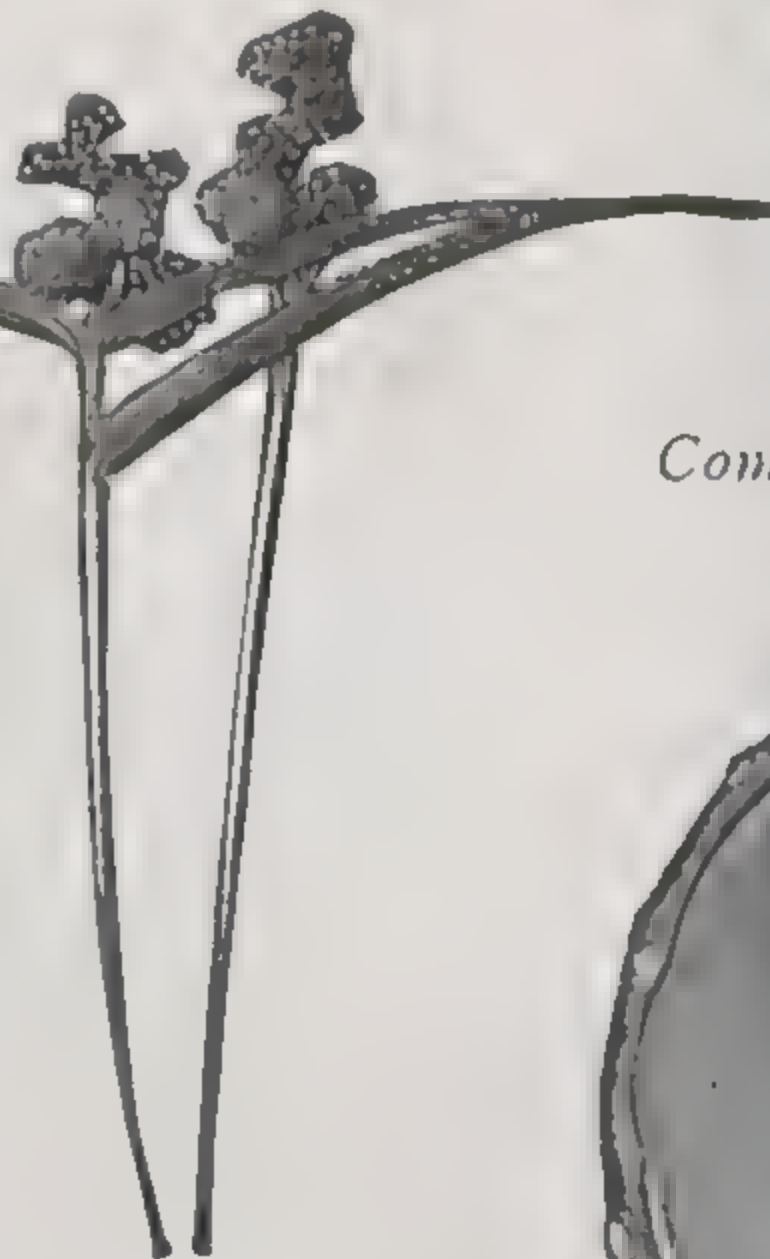
From blue and green leaves depend three lovely pearls



Green and white leaves, tipped with diamonds, flank an aquamarine



Comb in horn and diamonds



A horn comb showing cluster of diamond flowers infused with the yellow horn tint



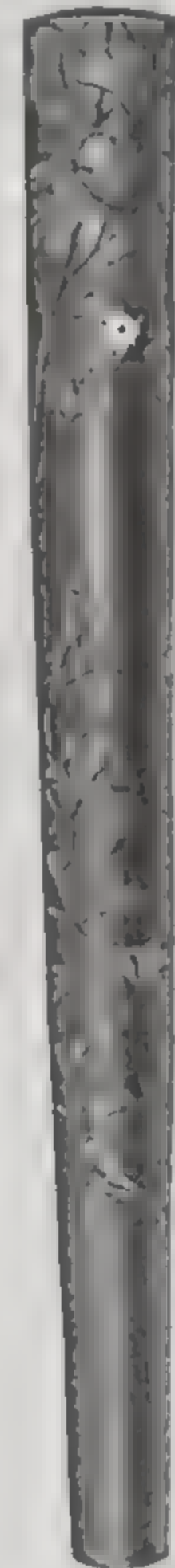
Over the rosewood surface of this mirror are scattered rose petals of mother-of-pearl, and flowers of carved ivory blossom at the base



Flowers of baroque pearls and enameled leaves form this comb



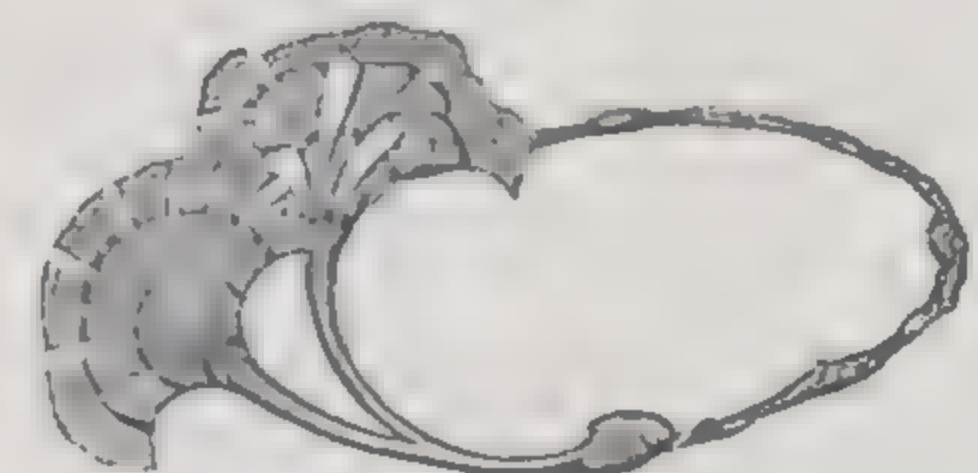
In orange lacquer with pierced silver bands and sunken topazes



Umbrella handle inlaid with mother-of-pearl, gold, and silver



Gold leaves alternate with crystal acorns and medallions



Filet in carved horn with leaves flecked with diamonds

straight handle in light gray, finished horn, inlaid with cherry blossoms with the mother-of-pearl and the leaves and gold.

Wonderfully rich is the handle in orange lacquer shown. It is ornamented with bands of pierced silver, and set with sunken topazes which, save the frame of oxidized silver, could be distinguished from the shiny background in which they are

THE MASTERPIECE OF NEW

Perhaps nothing is more treated by this school of jeweler watch chains for lorgnons or where the delicacy of the design and the originality of the

are shown to great advantage. In the shown here the in the form of finely wrought gold, separated other by small

dark green crystal. Four square lions in deep, turquoise blue green enamel further enrich. Upon each medallion is set, in relief, the profile of a woman's veiled by a net of gold tracery.

In the rings, almost all in settings, different colored enamel are used. Occasionally liancy of the stone is enhanced by judicious use of a little black as in the case of the opal shown in upper left-hand corner the green and pink lights are into relief by the almost impenetrable band of black.

Thoroughly French in feeling enamel and pearl ring shown middle of the page, at the two leaves which form the of the marquise setting are of and green. From below the form of a bunch of grapes, medium-sized pearls of great. The ring in the upper right corner shows a finely cut topaz in a heavy setting of lily buds from oxidized silver.

THE ART OF ENAMELING

The pins at the top of the page are the work of Monsieur Gaillard a past master of the difficult art of enameling.

In the butterfly pin, the bright wings are exquisitely reproduced in light-colored enamels banded with stripes, and outlined with gold. The wings of the three butterfly are lightly, and so form a frame for a central stone, a green tourmaline.

The other pin is formed of green and white enamel leaves, tipped with diamonds, which surround an aquamarine set in a plain enamel.

In addition to such beautiful jewelry, Monsieur Gaillard exhibited a great assortment of vases, rare, carved, crystal with marvelous chasings of many clever, curious pieces of cabinet, desk, and dressing table.

Among the latter is a small mirror of dark brown rosewood finish, carved and inlaid with mother-of-pearl, rose petals of which are scattered over the back. Around the face twine of roses, and the wooden stems down to form a handle. Buds of mother-of-pearl peep and there are base, blossom full-blown flowers of ivory.



The application on the front of the coat of a deep band which extends into a side breadth in the back is a unique way of emphasizing the cutaway line. The suit is made of royal purple velours ratine with purple velvet collar and cuffs

The length of the coat is the more noticeable that it is so slightly cutaway. The lines are most simple, but the odd dovetailing of plain, flag-blue tyltyl into brocaded tyltyl makes it a tailleur of some formality. Suits from Lieberman and Siegel

The coat cut on Russian blouse lines is not of one season, but of all seasons. A touch of oddity here is the rounded line of one side and the straight line of the other. It is of black baby lamb zibeline with melon velvet for the collar



MODES SUCH AS THE DE MEDICI COLLAR, THE LONG COAT, AND THE DRAPED SKIRT, WHICH HAVE BEEN TRIED OUT IN THE TAILLEURS OF ONE SEASON AND ARE INCORPORATED IN THOSE OF THE NEXT SEASON, ARE SO WELL ESTABLISHED THAT NOT THE MOST CONSERVATIVE NEED HESITATE TO ADOPT THEM

ADVENTURING *for the* ANTIQUE

The Pig We Found Eating from a "Gilty Bowl," the Nobleman Who Sold His Family Jewels, the Dirty, Educated Diggers of Antiques in Italy, and the Arab Wife Who Bartered the Family Treasury

"BE a collector of something, no matter what, and you will be forever protected against ennui," Janet quoted from an authority on antiques, and added, "besides, people who collect things are always interesting." She held a cup of almost ghostly delicacy up to the fitful glow of the wood fire and watched the red flames shoot through its translucency. Between us stood her tea service of old Derby china.

"By deduction, then, most people are interesting, for nearly everyone seems to have the collecting mania," I answered, forgetting my cooling tea as I admired the cup of lovely old Derby in which it was served.

"But not everyone has the soul of a collector. With most people it is a fad superimposed on a foundation of indifference. Pah! what do they know of the thrill of the hunt, the joy of possession, the rapture of discovery?"

"But," I inserted, "it has always seemed to me that it is the amateur after all who gets most out of his collecting."

"Oh, yes! The dusty, musty professional is so stifled with information and choked with theories that he is incapable of the thrills of the novice. Collecting should be an accomplishment, not a science. Only the amateur knows the real joy of the chase. The game may be anything so long as it bears the hall-mark of time. The pleasure is in the quest rather than in the achievement. This is where the dilettante scores over the serious collector who gets his antiques all properly guaranteed by an expert. This may be the safer proceed-

ure, but it lacks the excitement of the element of chance and of adventure, the joy of bargaining and of the very mistakes that are all a part of the fun."

I had heard Janet on antiques many times before, but never had she been in such fine feather as on that autumn day when she sat before her wood fire and sipped tea from her new set of old Derby. You see, she had just made a capture.

She touched, in passing, upon the pre-eminent suitability of this accomplishment of collecting to women, disclosing it as not only a pleasure, but a means of feathering their nests beautifully. So, when I left her, my mind was full of her subject. And then I remembered Ethelred. It must have been Janet's "Old English" that recalled her. I never see anything labeled "Old English" but it reminds me of Ethelred, who determined to have an atmosphere of Old Saxony about her, in spite of the hustling western town in which she lived. She decided to furnish her house in Old English style, and persuaded me to assist her on her collecting tour of the British Isles.

TEA ON A TRUNK

Ethelred's theory was that, to receive their proper value, antiques must be shown in a congruous environment. So she built a quaint old English house with as much of the charm of antiquity as can be infused in new wood and mortar. Then she made her a lovely garden centered with a moss-grown sun-dial. This house was to be furnished gradually with antiques of correct periods. But as the way of the collector is long and tedious, we had to make up our minds to live for a long time in a makeshift fashion—tea on top of a trunk and meals on a plain deal table. All of which shocked our imported English maids. But Ethelred had set her heart on a Jacobean dining-room of old, black oak, the most typically English furniture, and this isn't to be acquired in a day.

But fortune favored us with a brilliant prelude. Scarcely were we installed for the summer of our collecting tour in a neat, countryside English cottage when, at a nearby manor, long deserted, was advertised "a sale on the premises." This, we knew, meant that only a few people from the country roundabout would be there, and that prices would not be boosted as they would at an auction in town. Here Ethelred began on her set of old oak. Lovely



The Arab wife stood up and sold us the ornaments she was wearing, which represented the whole of the family funds



To the pergola under the myrtle trees, dirty, scholarly Sicilian fossickers brought their damaged terra-cotta figurines



Wild-eyed Venetian boys pleasantly amused themselves by flinging stones down at our gondola

old things covered with dust and mildew were sold for next to nothing—a sideboard, a gate-legged table, chairs with the leather in rags but easily restored to former glory, and other such treasures. As we were driving off in a cart laden with our wares, past us, in his mud-bespattered motor, flew the agent of one of the biggest London dealers, half an hour too late! Amateur collector's luck, we beamed to each other. No telling at what those pieces would have been priced, once they reached London.

THAT PRINCELY PIG

Pewter is an accessory of oak, said Ethelred, so we started on a pewter quest, darting into cottages and ransacking kitchens unblushingly. We were as persistent as those tinker pewterers of olden days, who went about mending pewter ware, and, to the confusion of

And obediently I looked, but was a fat pig eating out of a brown bowl.

"A beautiful piece of the be Gilty Ware," whispered Ethelred, leaped for the gate. Through doorway, we caught sight of an hovering over a smoldering fire. From him we learned that the was away, but that she set no store by the "Gilty." She liked "things" better. There was a if the ladies cared for such things. "It would be too bad to take targe of him," whispered Ethelred, stage aside. She paid a price to buy several "nice white sets," off with the prizes, marveling at perfect condition and brilliant though she knew that the be ware would have survived many tions of pigs.

In London Ethelred showed tures to a connoisseur friend.

"Excellent examples of modern Ware, imitated from the best was his verdict. And did the owner know? The doubt always

COMPLETE EVEN TO THE "PERIOD"

But Ethelred was not to be aged, and soon had forgotten her in the excitement of hunting down of eighteenth-century English. The proprietor of a little antique in the "High Street" of the new town proved a guardian at this stage of her collecting career. Dickensian character, he would only sell to the people he

I left Ethelred as she was bent to furnish her bedroom in Queen's walnut, and was hesitating about an Indian mahogany for the drawing-room was evidently going to be a long and sleeping on cots was a bit tiresome. Beside being obliged to wear one's best clothes and to tramp miles of try road instead of motoring in order to deceive the people into ing that we were only eccentric, inexplicably had a foolish craving for broken-nosed jugs, was not unmit joy.

Ethelred ultimately transplanted charming and quite complete collection of "Old English," even to the set and a highly bred coach dog, went with one of the "periods."

PARTING THE "HEIR" FROM THE "T"

Then there was Elizabeth, quest was, without limitations, the tique." I was touring the outlying tracts of Paris at the time, and high hopes of spoil, Elizabeth along.

Some of the old hostels along country roads of France are treasures for the collector, indeed, are often veritable museums. Occasionally one runs across a gem that has remained in the same family as has hotel for generations, and frequently

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Two charming little Dutch maids made pretence of reluctantly selling us "genuine" heirlooms of old Dutch silver

the pewter collector, obliterating old marks. Pewter was not hard to get, and I remember that we ate from plates of this artistic but somewhat cheerless metal until Ethelred could decide on the color scheme of her china, and whether it was to be Old Chelsea or Worcester.

Meanwhile a corner cupboard suggested the acquisition of luster ware, considered very *recherché* by the collector to-day, though silver luster was originally designed that the humble cottager might delude himself into the belief that he possessed real table silver. As the better grades were copies of genuine silverware, the old Georgian fluted models, they are really worth having. The rare purple luster, usually in the form of mugs, is especially desirable. Copper luster, "Gilty Ware," as the inhabitants of the Emerald Isle named the glittering stuff, took us over to Ireland.

One day, passing a mud-walled, thatched-roof cottage, Ethelred suddenly seized my arm and cried, "Look! Sacrilege, sacrilege!"

TOURING the PARIS SHOPS



A crêpe de Chine blouse inspired by French art but tempered to American taste

TO the stranger arriving in Paris the shops are a great disappointment. One comes with certain preconceived notions as to what one will find, where the shops will be, how they will look, but at first sight the large department stores seem to show nothing unusual, that is, nothing peculiarly French; the specialty shops of which one has dreamed lie hidden away, and those which throng the main streets and boulevards, notably the rue de la Paix, though full of attractive novelties, are expensive past belief. As in everything else, this shopping in Paris is a question of knowing how. Once the ropes are learned, it is not only simple, but the greatest pleasure.

There are several things indelibly impressed upon the mind in connection with Paris—novelties, lace, flowers, gloves, handkerchiefs, blouses, lingerie, jewelry, real and imitation, and antiques. And here follows the tale of where they can be found.

Shops for negligées and blouses abound on every corner in every quarter, but the little shop from which the sketches in the upper corners of this page were taken has certain unique features which make it of special interest and value. Its directress is a young American; it is quite new, having started little more than six months ago, and its models are charming and to be had for almost

any price, according to the amount of labor and the materials chosen. If one has been long in Paris, one discovers that the prettiest models of every kind are those inspired by French art but tempered to American taste. There are certain things which we require, and which, as a rule, the Frenchwoman does not think so much about—simplicity, looseness of fit, and, to a greater or less degree, practicality. This small shop combines in its wares all these points.

The blouse sketched on the left is made of wide, plaited, navy blue crêpe de Chine. The blouse portion is smocked to the broad-shouldered, straight yoke in a series of small points, and the neck is finished by a turnover collar of white taffeta fastened with a mite of a taffeta bow. Down the front run acorn-shaped buttons of blue enamel with white centers, and the long, full sleeves end at the wrist with a turnback, slashed and pointed cuff of taffeta, trimmed with three of the buttons. The waist is entirely made by hand, the fit perfect, and the price is only 90 francs.

There is a lull at present in the jabot furore, but occasionally one so pretty appears that it forces its way against all odds. The bertha jabot shown in the right corner is made of plaited, écru net which falls in square-cut bertha ends over the shoulders; the

back and front are joined together by wide, openwork, Irish crochet beading, and the rounded neck is finished with a narrow band of black poplin and a tiny, flat bow. From this band, down the front, through slashes cut in the net, run shaped ends of the silk trimmed with black silk ball fringe, and the entire collar is outlined with two-inch, tinted, filet net lace and crochet beading. Price, 50 francs.

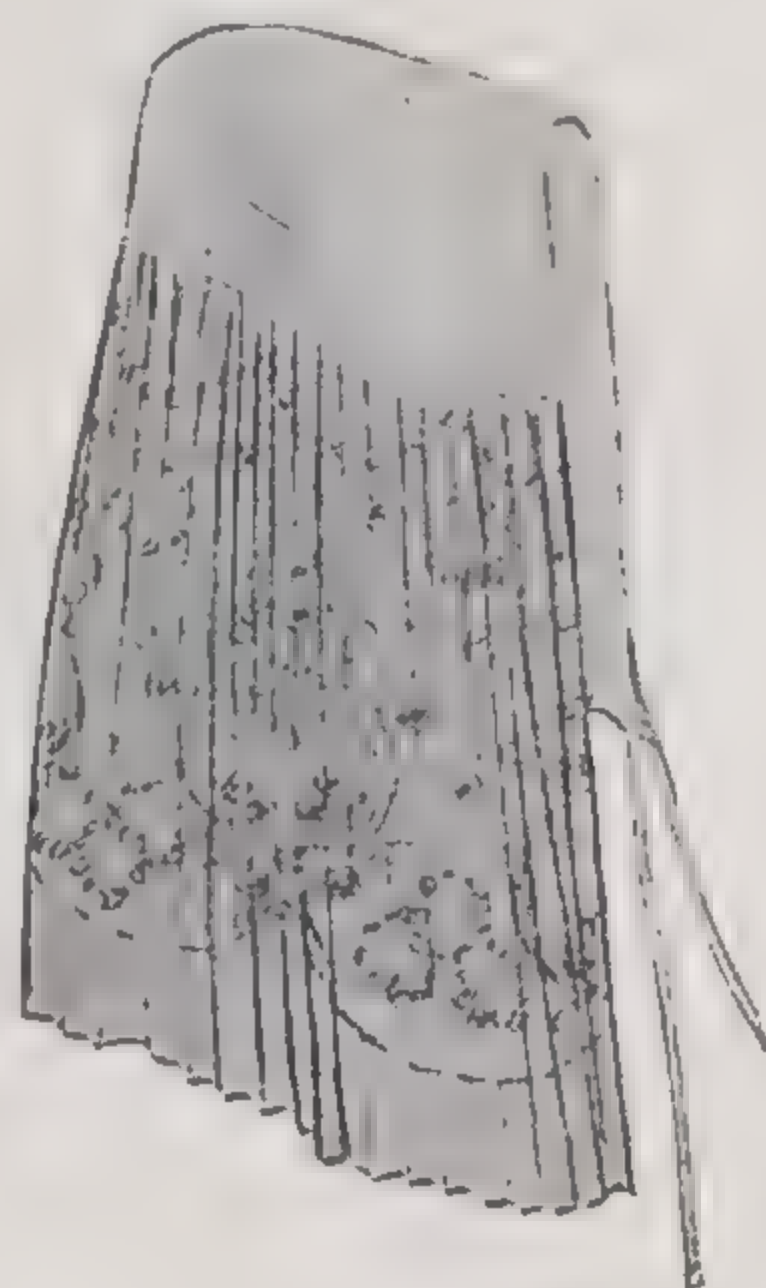
From this same shop comes the little matinée of pale pink crêpe de Chine sketched in the lower, left-hand corner. The V-neck, the flowing sleeves, and the hem are trimmed with an inset band of creamy point de Venise lace, while around the high empire waist runs a piece of pink liberty satin ribbon that is tied in a butterfly bow made of wired puffs of the ribbon. Price, 150 francs.

The matinée sketched opposite is designed by a famous house on the rue de la Paix, and shows a rather original treatment of the high empire waist, which is made in a separate piece from the long,

snug-fitting basque over which it hangs. It is loosely gathered in by a band of inch-wide ribbon run through a plain hem or fell. The neck, the long, draped, sleeveless armholes, and the rounded basque are outlined by the ribbon run through similar hems, while bows of the ribbon fasten the matinée at the neck, belt, and sides of the slashed basque. It is made of thin white crépon, heavily embroidered in large white flowers.



This poke bonnet is a change from the boudoir mob caps



French tailored petticoat of surah silk with a chiffon ruffle



A fanciful bertha jabot of tinted net, Irish crochet beading, and filet lace

At the top of the page is a drawing of a boudoir cap shown by a well-known lingerie shop. A tight-fitting semi-poke it is, with the foundation of white net covered with wide frills of Valenciennes lace. Low on one side are placed two flat, fancy rosettes of pink satin ribbon with long, twisted ends which twine around the back. Price, 40 francs.

Below this pretty cap is shown a skirt much in use by the well-dressed Frenchwoman for wear with tailor-mades. The soft surah silk of which it is made causes it to cling to the figure. It shows a deep, knee-length ruffle of pompadour chiffon lined with silk. It is without bulk and so short that it may be worn with a deeply slashed walking skirt. In pale shades of buff with a matching chiffon ruffle covered with large, printed roses of blue and pink, and with the hem finished by a two-inch band of blue, feather-edged ribbon, it is a lovely creation. Price, 25 francs.

At this same shop, which carries one of the most extensive lines of pretty, reasonable skirts in all Paris, may be had lingerie petticoats with a wide ruffle of thin lawn, heavily scalloped by hand and embroidered with a large flower design, for 11 francs, 90 centimes.

India silk skirts of pale blue, pink, yellow, and mauve, with twelve-inch ruffles of plaited Valenciennes lace, sell for 29 francs, 90 centimes, and simple white India silk skirts with nine-inch plaited ruffles of the silk, stamped Persian border, cost 14 francs, 90 centimes.



A butterfly bow of wired ribbon puffs is the pleasing decoration of this matinée



The empire bodice of this crépon matinée is made separate from the basque

FADS in SHELL

THE present style of low coiffure demands the continued use of large side pins and broad, low combs. The nearby sketch shows a pretty pin made of light-colored shell with the turnback loops set thickly with rhinestones. Hundreds of stones are used to make this design, and as the work is so delicate, the price of 60 francs a pair is not expensive. The long, low comb of shell shown on page 48 with a rounded, bar top covered with a square lattice-work of rhinestones, comes from the same shop and sells for 50 francs.

Tortoise-shell is used more and more for toilet table, desk, and dress accessories. Particularly pretty are the parasol and umbrella handles sketched at the top of page 48. A year or more ago these appeared in many

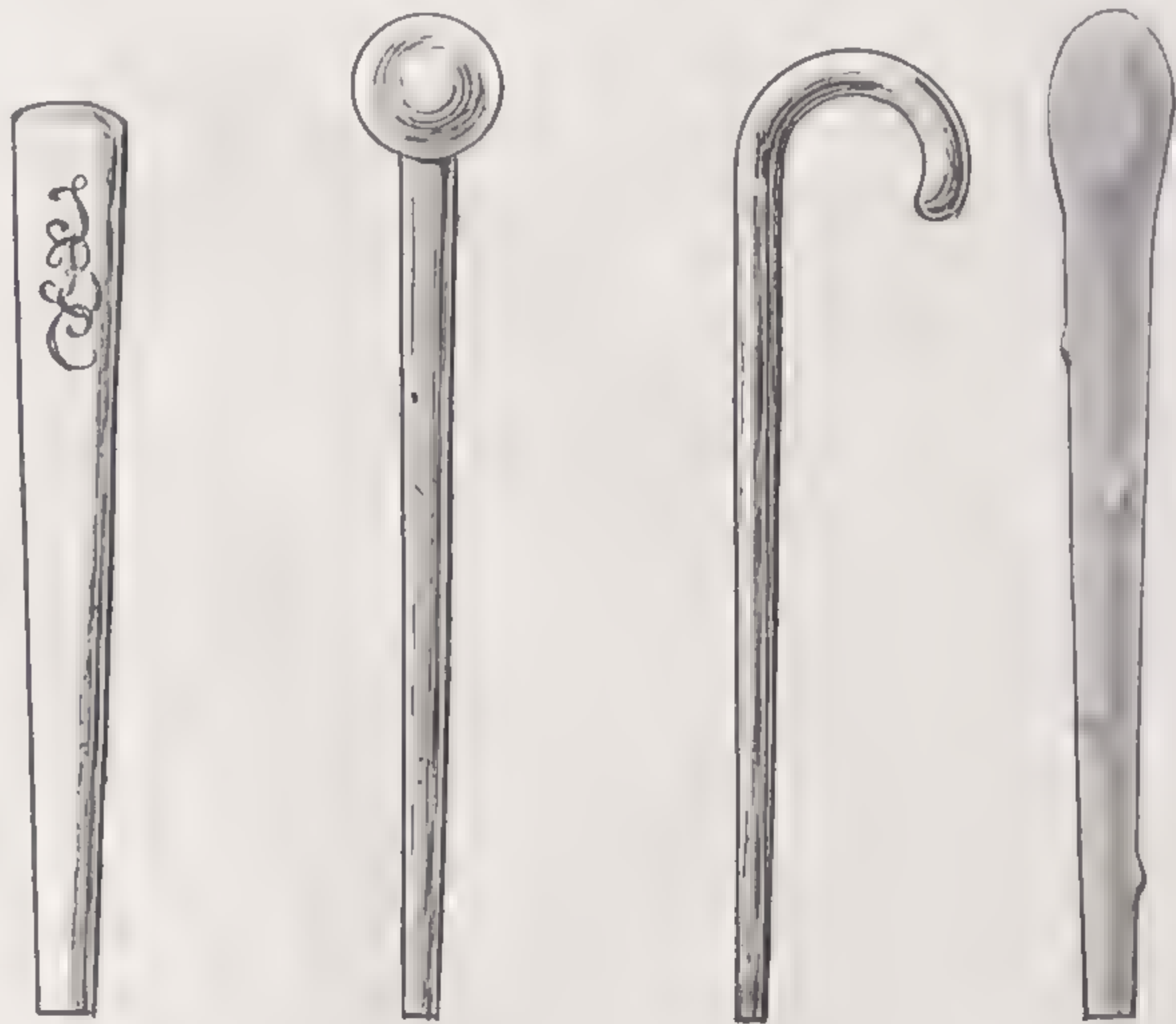
small novelty shops, but it was not until this season that they blossomed forth at race course and on boulevard. These sketches show some of the most popular models displayed by a small shop devoted exclusively to the manufacture of shell articles.

The newest model is the one on the extreme right. It is of plain, beautifully clear, light shell, knotted at intervals like a gnarled tree trunk. Price, 179 francs. The plain, tapering handle on the extreme left is made in plain shell for 42 francs and in a finer quality, with inlaid, drop letters of gold, for 175 and 200 francs. The smooth, round ball top and crook may be had in prices ranging from 42 to 250 francs.

At this same shop, which has every conceivable article in tortoise-shell, may be purchased cunning little powder



Shell pin thickly studded with rows of rhinestones



Styles of tortoise-shell parasol or umbrella handles that are being carried by the smart Parisienne

boxes about the size of a fifty-cent piece, and provided with a small mirrored lid and a puff. Price, 25 francs. Boxes of tortoise-shell, holding gold thimble, scissors, and bodkin, perfect copies of the old-time models such as were found on the work tables of the Empress Josephine and other famous beauties of that day, sell for 250 francs. These are made of beautifully marked shell, are not over four inches long, fasten with gold clasps, have slightly bulging covers, rounded corners, and tiny gold hinges. With the revival of all things of that period, they have now become a fad.

Articles diminutive in size, yet perfect in detail, seem to hold an equal fascination for the French craftsman and the French mondaine. The boudoir of a Parisienne is the repository of countless tiny jars and boxes and other bibelots. For example, there are now being shown some dainty little jars for cold cream that are made, not of tor-

toise-shell but of different colored quartz in all the pastel shades. The jars are perfectly round, about two inches in diameter and about an inch in height, and cost but 2 francs, 90 centimes each, or 3 francs, 90 centimes for the larger size. Powder boxes of the old regulation shape are also made in various sizes in this quartz, and range in price from

6 francs, 90 centimes, to 9 francs, 90 centimes for the largest, which is capable of holding one of those enormous bath powder puffs ordinarily found in the low, bowl-shaped boxes. For country bedrooms or for the white-tiled bathrooms of the modern house, nothing could be more dainty or more practical.

French enameling is equally lovely for the dressing table. One set of crystal and pink enamel includes brush, comb, mirror, two crystal flower vases with pink enamel standards, four crystal bottles with enamel tops, and a clothes brush, for 1,200 francs.



The broad, low shell comb demanded by the fashionable low coiffure

BAG PERFECTION

A WONDERFUL place for novelties is a little shop just around the corner from the rue de la Paix. Truly a bit expensive, but then one is sure of finding there something which has not yet reached America and which in all probability never will, for each article represents so much time, so much detail work, that our own manufacturers would never think of attempting to reproduce them. Take, for example, the bag sketched here. Both the under part and the flap of heavy black moire are carefully shirred top and bottom, and the shirrings are held in place by a row of stitching at the very edge. The bag, lined with tan-colored moire, is fully supplied with all the ordinary accessories of mirror, change purse, card case, memorandum pad, and vanity box. A handsome clasp of yellow topaz quartz set in rhinestones ornaments the deep, rounded flap, and the metal bar is covered with silk. Price, 135 francs.

Another bag plainer in style, but beautifully finished, was made of dark blue morocco leather, was perfectly square, and was carried by a heavy, black silk cord. This bag was also lined with tan-colored moire and filled with the usual fittings. The original feature



Bag of shirred black moire, beautiful in its detail finish

was the clasp of the square flap, which instead of closing with an ornamented snap, fastened with a two-inch, gun-metal lead pencil, with deeply sunk rings of rhinestones at top and bottom. This was hung from a gun-metal chain attached to the leather covered bar, and was slipped through two loops of the leather placed diagonally, one on the flap

and one on the under part of the bag, to effect the fastening. Price, 100 francs.

In many of the new leather bags and purses the vanity accessories inside are attached to long chains of gold and silver. This is a sure guarantee against loss.

For those who do not fear the evil of the peacock's eye was shown a gold link

bag of great beauty surmounted by a richly inlaid bar top enameled in deep blue and green peacock feathers. Each feather and each flue of each feather was outlined in diamond chips and studded with small cabochon sapphires. Two fairly good-sized cabochon sapphires formed the clasps.

FOR TABLE SERVICE

THE little chocolate pot here illustrated is shown by one of the boulevard china shops. The chocolate pot is made of porcelain decorated with pink roses and blue bow-knots on a white ground. The handle is of wood. Price, 45 francs. The chief feature is the wooden *batteuse* which looks much like a small potato masher with corrugated sides; the handle passes through a hole in the porcelain cover. The woman who has ever partaken of chocolate at a certain world-famous café will realize that it is this *batteuse* which makes that chocolate so deliciously smooth and creamy. The beverage is kept in a high pot over a slow fire; each pot is provided with its beater, and just before a cup is poured, the *garçon* vigorously beats the chocolate for several minutes, until it is whipped to a light, foamy froth.

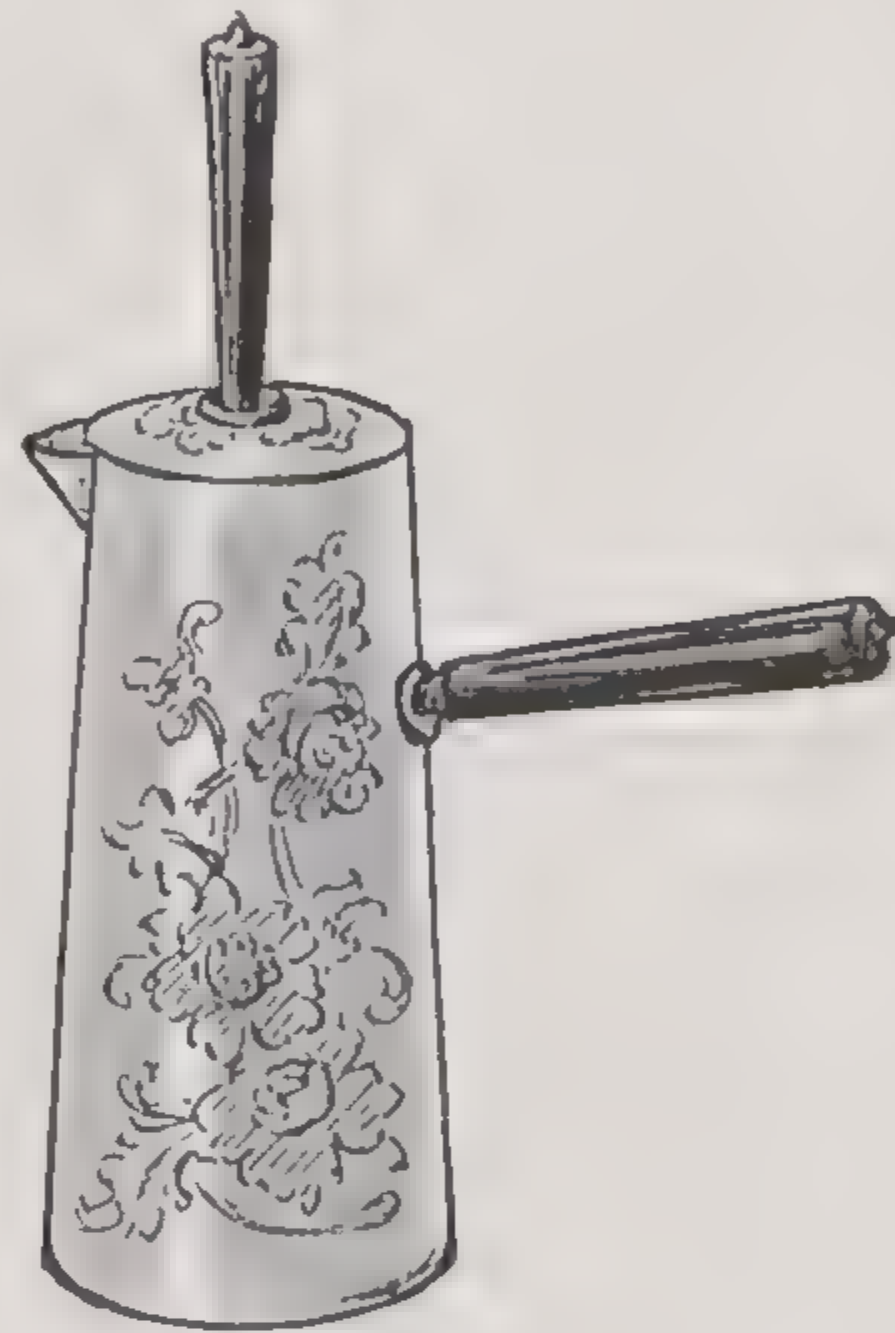
The knife sketched above is more adapted to the French four o'clock *goûter* at which it is the proper thing to eat toast, bread, fruit, cake, or crackers with a knife and fork, than to the American five o'clock tea. However, for French or American, this combination of knife and fork in one is sure to prove useful, and is certainly an innovation.



Combination knife and fork for fruit or cake

The blade of silver gilt rounds at the sides and tapers to a split, pointed end which forms a two-prong fork. The handles are of enameled wood in blue, pink, or green. Set of one dozen, 42 francs.

A miniature coffee service for two is of white china rimmed with silver and set on a tray with a silver basket handle. The whole affair is no bigger than a dinner plate.



The wooden beater in this French porcelain pot is an aid in making delicious chocolate

PARIS SPECIALTIES

ANOTHER purchase one usually wishes to make while in Paris is lace. On one of the great boulevards is a small shop, as yet not very well known by Americans, and where, in consequence, one can still find things at the rate paid for them by the French. It is the tiniest place, full to overflowing with bits of old lace, odd pieces of silver, exquisite hand-embroideries, bedspreads, tablecovers, and centerpieces. Then there is the loveliest neckwear made from the sheerest batiste, trimmed with French embroidery and real Valenciennes lace. The batiste and the embroidery are tinted the faint, creamy color of the lace so that the effect in collar and in tablecloths is that of those rare old heirlooms yellowed by age, and yet the prices of these pieces of needlework are ridiculously small. A little sailor collar with pointed tab ends in front, embroidered with tiny flowers and inset and outlined with real Valenciennes lace, sells for 20 francs. Furthermore, this collar can be made to order in any shape desired for exactly the same price.

Oblong-shaped centerpieces for polished tables, made of squares of fine, tinted, hand-embroidered linen lawn, joined and edged with real Valenciennes lace, sell for 35 francs.

Irish lace is bought in odd lengths directly from the makers in Ireland, so that by excluding the middleman's profit, this shop is able to sell lace to its patrons at marvelously low prices. One can often find heavy Irish, in elaborate patterns over six inches wide, for 60 francs a yard—a lace which in New York would easily be worth \$30 or \$40. A four-inch width in the same lace costs 40 francs or less. It is a shop which is patronized largely by the actress clien-

tele of Paris, and *la patronne* will tell how almost every day she goes with a large assortment of filets, of Irish, of Valenciennes to some one of the famous actresses, who will spend a fortune in a single morning of lace investments.

Few women come to Paris and leave without some trifles of both lace and artificial flowers tucked away for future use. There is one shop which stands unequalled, not alone for the quality, the variety, the beauty of the flowers, but for their reasonable prices as well.

The first visit to this shop, hidden away in a dingy bit of a street, is one of the pleasurable experiences of shopping in Paris. Up a dark, narrow staircase one ascends to the main room, in the middle of which stands a big table; in one corner of the room two girls are busy beading some of the remarkable coiffure ornaments. Beyond is a wee room, and through its open door are seen other girls engaged in making the thousands of flowers that are kept safely in labeled boxes running from ceiling to floor around three sides of the room.

The great orchids, in white, green, pale yellow, deep purple, and delicate mauve, sell for 3 francs, 50 centimes apiece. The price for a corresponding orchid at one of the large rue de la Paix shops is 12 francs, 50 centimes. A boutonniere of gardenias sells for 2 francs, 50 centimes, nosegays made of vari-colored, old-fashioned flowers, for 6 or 8 francs, and beautiful bunches composed of two large velvet tulips in shades of dark and light old-rose mixed with sprays of maidenhair, lily-of-the-valley, and lavender ageratum, sell for 8 francs, 50 centimes. Large silk and velvet roses in deep maroon, nasturtium, or American beauty, delicately scented

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SEEN ON THE STAGE



The New Productions of Dramatists of the Caliber of Pinero, Shaw, and Arnold Bennett Gave Both Spice and Dignity to the Early Autumn Season

By CLAYTON HAMILTON

THESE are certain noted names which may always be regarded as a guarantee of an interesting evening in the theatre. We can count on Sir Arthur Pinero for a masterly employment of technical means in the construction of his story, a crafty analysis of character, and a deftness of dramatic dialogue. We may expect from Mr. Bernard Shaw an inimitable nibleness of wit, and a sharp surprise of subject-matter that will make us question our traditions. We may rely on Mr. Arnold Bennett for a serene, sagacious unrolling of the reel of life. And whenever Mr. David Belasco produces a play, whatever may be the inherent strength or weakness of the piece itself, we may be sure of admirable acting and of a thorough and minute veracity in the direction of the stage.

It is not surprising, therefore, that, when the latest labors of these reliable artists were disclosed in quick succession in the middle of September, the aspect of the autumn season in New York assumed a dignity and an importance which had been lacking in the earlier, preliminary weeks. The one surprise of this period was the unexpected excellence of a melodrama called "Within the Law." This is the work of Bayard Veiller, a young author whose previous efforts had indicated little promise of his present efficiency. It is a pleasure to welcome Mr. Veiller into the small company of accomplished craftsmen.

The international nature of the New York stage was emphasized, at this time, by the fact that the number of genuinely worthy plays was equally divided between British and American productions. The American critic often wonders whether the theatre-goers of London will ever learn to extend to American plays that catholicity of appreciation which is nearly always evidenced by the theatre-goers of New York toward plays of British authorship. Pinero and Shaw are not regarded in New York as foreign playwrights; and the public of our cosmopolitan metropolis may enjoy their dramas side by side with plays of native authorship.

"THE MIND-THE-PAINT GIRL"

THE critic's judgment of "The Mind-the-Paint Girl," by the master of the modern English stage, will depend upon the point of view from which he approaches this unusual composition. If he is looking for a tense and closely knit dramatic fabric like "Mid-Channel" or "The Thunderbolt," he will be disappointed; but if he is looking for a revelation of character, he will discover, in the heroine, the most charmingly human woman that Sir Arthur Pinero has ever created. The piece is not so much a drama, in the ordinary connotation of the term, as a study of a peculiar environment that determines and completes the character of this interesting woman.

Lily Parradell is the reigning beauty of the Pandora Theatre, which has been taken by the British public to signify, in actuality, the Gaiety Theatre of Mr. George Edwardes. Her origin was very humble. She was born on the unfortunate side of the Thames, the child of a poor shopkeeper. Her father died early, but she is accompanied throughout the play by her cockney and ungrammatical mother, Mrs. Upjohn (the name itself is eloquent), a well-meaning woman with very little sense. At an



A. G. Onslow and Auriol Lee in Arnold Bennett's uniquely constructed play, "Milestones"

early age Lily was apprenticed to a suburban dancing-master, and in time she secured an engagement in the chorus. Ultimately she made her mark singing a topical song called "Mind the Paint,"

and now we see her at the height of her success, with all the various hangers-on of the Pandora Theatre at her feet.

Sir Arthur devotes his first two acts to drawing a detailed picture of Lily's

habitual environment, both in her home and in the theatre. In the first act we attend an informal birthday party in her house at Bloomsbury and meet the curious and ill-assorted company of her daily companions. In the second act we see the Pandora "crowd" more intimately at a midnight supper and dance in the foyer of the theatre. Fully a score of the typical figures of the musical comedy world are clearly sketched, with many rapid dashes of wit and sudden sallies of sentiment, in the artfully broken dialogue of these first two acts; and through all the many movements of these multifarious characters the personality of the heroine is subtly impressed upon us.

There is no drama in the opening acts, for the author has designed them merely as a *genre* study. Two lovers of the heroine have, indeed, been introduced, a young nobleman, named Viscount Farncombe, who loves her from afar, and a Captain Nicholas Jeyes, who has given up his career in the army to play the faithful slave to Lily in the hope that she will ultimately marry him; and from this triangulation we foresee the inevitable dramatic struggle.

This struggle occurs in the third act, suddenly and mightily. At four in the morning the stragglers from the midnight party accompany Lily to her home, and, after the others have departed upon their wandering ways, Lord Farncombe remains behind to ask Lily to marry him. She does not love him, for, indeed, she has seen him only a few times; but she has seen enough of him to respect and even, in a way, to pity him. She now answers his suit by giving him a detailed narrative of her career, with the purpose of showing him that her defects of breeding and of education are so great that she could never assume gracefully the position of Lady Farncombe. This narrative is wonderfully written, and is, perhaps, the most sympathetic passage to be found in any of Sir Arthur's plays. Before the Viscount can reply, Captain Jeyes breaks violently in. He has been watching the house for two hours, and now accuses Lily of an intrigue with Lord Farncombe. All the heroine's ill-breeding is carried to the surface by her anger, and she denounces her jealous watch-dog in a torrent of language very painful for her noble lover to hear. Then Captain Jeyes sits down and tells the young Viscount how he himself has thrown away his career for the privilege of setting his neck beneath the dainty heels of the heroine; and Lily realizes, for the first time, what a danger she has been to men like these. As a result of this emotional crisis, she agrees to marry Captain Jeyes, first, from a feeling that it is her duty, as a reparation, to help him to reassemble the wreckage of his life, and second, from a more subtle sense that she ought to defend Lord Farncombe from falling into her net.

This happy ending and moving third act is the only one that is, in the ordinary sense, dramatic. The fourth act is a sort of epilogue. Captain Jeyes returns next day, bringing Farncombe with him. The Captain has thought the matter over and decided to go out to South Africa, to endeavor to begin again a useful life alone. He urges Lily to marry Farncombe, and ultimately she consents. This happy ending hardly seems inevitable; but on the other hand it must be admitted that it has been logically motivated by the emotional crisis at the climax of the play.



Jane Cowl, Florence Nash, and William B. Mack in one of the high-strung scenes from that ten-act of "thrillers," "Within the Law"



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Miss Billie Burke rises to the part of the "Mind-the-Paint Girl" with quite unexpected power

Pinero has used this story as an occasion for discussing the advantages and disadvantages of those marriages, which of late have frequently occurred, between Gaiety girls and younger scions of the peerage. His remarks on both sides of the question are sagacious and illuminating. This immediate social problem is, of course, local to London, and may not prove of direct interest to the general public of New York; but the more general wisdom of the play should be appreciated everywhere. Lily Parradall is the most ingratiating of all Sir Arthur's characters, and she is played with unexpected power by Miss Billie Burke. The dialogue is a model of the off-hand idiom of to-day, but some of it is delivered ineptly by the actors; and the general merit of the stage-direction falls below the standard which the author set in London.

"FANNY'S FIRST PLAY"

"FANNY'S First Play," by an anonymous author who has proved himself by internal evidence to be Mr. Bernard Shaw, is the wittiest composition which has illuminated our stage in several seasons. This piece is subtle, uproarious, intelligent, impudent, audacious, tantalizing, and delightful. Doubtless Mr. Shaw would be amused at this array of adjectives. He could scarcely advertise himself with more paradoxical hyperbole. Or perhaps he could; you never can tell, till you have read his latest preface.

The play itself is inclosed within a prologue and an epilogue, which will be noticed later. The theme of the play appears to be as follows: What ordinary people consider their religion, their political opinions, their social code, is, in actuality, nothing but a lazy habit of the mind—so that, if they be jolted out of the habitual by any sudden incident, they will find their hitherto established principles powerless to guide them through the new continent of experience which has been surprisingly discovered to

them. This abstract statement of the theme sounds, perhaps, a little solemn; but upon this text Mr. Shaw has chattered gaily for three acts.

In the first act we perceive the thoroughly respectable household of Mr. Robin Gilbey turned topsy-turvy by the accident of Bobby, Mr. Gilbey's son, having been jailed for a fortnight for being disrespectful to the police while rollicking in the company of a certain joyous lady, known to her friends as "Darling Dora." And in the second act we perceive the equally respectable household of Mr. Joseph Knox in deep consternation because the daughter, Margaret, has likewise been jailed for two weeks for assaulting a policeman who happened to be employed in a midnight raid upon a dance-hall, whither she had drifted in the company of a pleasing, careless Frenchman whom she had picked up at a music-hall.

In the third act, the two families come together; for it appears that the Gilbeys and the Knoxes have been intimate for years. Those pillars of society, the heads of the two middle-class households, are suffering from a sense that the whole firmament is tumbling about their ears. Bobby Gilbey and Margaret Knox have been engaged to each other; but it now becomes evident that neither is fitted to be a life companion to the other. Bobby, however, marries Darling Dora, to the scandal of his papa, the "old dear," as

Dora calls him. Margaret cannot marry the Frenchman, for the reason that he is married already. Instead, she marries Juggins, the aristocratic butler of the Gilbeys, who has turned out to be the younger son of a duke. No outcome could be more mad than this—nor more delectable.

This extraordinary play is supposed to be written by Fanny O'Dowda, a young graduate of Cambridge, and a member of the Fabian Society there. In the introduction, her father—a gentleman of eighteenth-century tastes who, for esthetic reasons, wears an eighteenth-century costume—invites four of the leading dramatic critics of London to a house that he has taken temporarily in Cambridge, in order that they may render a professional verdict on a private performance of the play; and in the epilogue these critics analyze the piece that they have seen, in a manner that is deliciously satirical of their diversified shortcomings.

No adequate idea of the brilliancy of this extraordinary composition can be conveyed in a hasty summary of its free, capricious structure. Suffice it to say that nearly every line is scintillant, and that to see the play once is to long for a free evening to see it once again. It is most excellent foolery. The piece is very adequately acted in America by a company rehearsed in London by that master of the art of stage-direction, Mr. Granville Barker.

"MILESTONES"

THE public interest in "Milestones," which was written by Arnold Bennett in collaboration with the playwright, Edward Knoblauch, may be ascribed mainly to its novelty of form. Each of the three acts takes place in the same drawing-room of a house in Kensington Gore; but the date of the first act is 1860, the date of the second is 1885, and the date of the third is 1912. The story follows through three generations the fortunes of two families that are closely

linked together by many ties, both professional and personal, and belongs to the same type of narrative that Mr. Bennett has handled more than once on the larger canvas of his novels.

It should be admitted at the outset that this type of story can be developed more completely, and therefore more successfully, in a novel than in a play. In "Milestones," for instance, it is necessary for the authors to set forth an entirely new exposition at the outset of each act, and this necessity detracts from that impression of steady progress that is desirable in a dramatic narrative. But, on the other hand, of course, an emphatic effect is made by the visual variety of the three acts of the play. The room remains the same throughout the story; but the hangings, the furniture, and the ornaments are altered to express the changing tastes of the successive generations. In the first act the women wear hoop-skirts, in the second they wear bustles, and in the third they wear the dresses of to-day, and this historical progression in the costumes adds an interest to the visual appeal of the production.

The piece develops the same theme that is discussed in Stevenson's classic essay entitled "Crabbed Age and Youth," and the purpose of the authors is to show that, in every generation, there must always be a struggle between the radical mind of youth and the conservative mind of age. The old look backward and the young look forward, and the present authors agree with R. L. S. in believing that the torch of progress is passed forever onward by the young.

The story of "Milestones" is too intricate to be summarized completely in the compass of a brief review; but an idea of its significance may be obtained by following its main strand. John Rhead, in 1860, dissolves his partnership with the Sibleys because he believes that the future of the ship-building industry lies in building iron ships, whereas his more conservative partners believe that ships must always be built of wood. In 1885 we observe the same John Rhead



One of the prettiest scenes from this year's Hippodrome production is that of the net menders of Brittany



Belasco has obviously appended the last scene of "The Governor's Lady" in order to create one of his notable scenic "tours de force," here a scene in a Child's restaurant

contending against the substitution of steel for iron in the development of the same industry; and in 1912 we perceive him wedded completely to the past and sighing for the good old days that are no more. Meanwhile younger people have grown up about him, and their ideas seem as unpractical to him as his own ideas had seemed to his elders in 1860. In each of the three acts we meet the young people of the Rhead and Sibley families at the age of marrying, and we find them, in each generation, swayed by the same follies and the same wisdom. The piece, in general, is a panorama of how life repeats itself inexorably from period to period—repeating even its varieties.

The mood of "Milestones" can scarcely be regarded as dramatic. It is too mildly contemplative for that, but there is an almost wistful atmosphere of sentiment about the piece that gives it a strong popular appeal. The play demands a more delicate performance than is, on the whole, afforded by the present company; but Mr. Leslie Faber's acting of the leading rôle is thoroughly satisfying.

"DISCOVERING AMERICA"

ANOTHER play of Mr. Knoblauch's, entitled "Discovering America," failed to please the critics and the public, though it dealt with an interesting theme. Its purpose was to contrast the aristocratic indolence of the old world with the energizing practicality of the new. The hero is a rich American who has been brought up in Italy, and is in love with an Italian princess. Having suddenly lost all his money, he comes to New York to struggle upward out of poverty. He engages in business with an American girl as partner, and makes considerable money. He becomes enamored of the life of energy, and also of the girl who has taught him how to lead it. Returning to Italy to marry the Princess (because in the old years he had promised to do so), he finds himself extremely bored by the idle aristocratic life, and longs for his new-world business and partner. Ultimately he marries, not the princess, but the American girl, and returns to New York for good and all.

The main defect of this play is the violence of the contrast between the romantic mood of the first and last acts

which were set in Italy, and the realistic mood of the intervening acts which were set in New York. Yet the piece was not devoid of a certain ingratiating literary charm. It was ably acted by Mr. Lewis Waller as the hero and Miss Miriam Clements as the princess. Miss Madge Titheradge, an appealing actress, was miscast as the American girl.

"THE GOVERNOR'S LADY"

BOTH the merits and defects of Mr. David

Belasco's stage direction are emphatically manifested in his very successful production of "The Governor's Lady," a loosely fabricated play by a new author, Miss Alice Bradley. Like all of Mr. Belasco's productions, this piece is exceedingly well acted; and the performances of Miss Emma Dunn, Mr. Emmett Corrigan, and Miss Gladys Hanson, in the leading rôles, are so extremely life-like that the spectator is likely to suspect the author of a gift for character—drawing which is scarcely evidenced in the construction or the writing of her text. For instance, the initial motive of her plot is the effort of a man who is campaigning for the governorship to divorce his unoffending wife in order to insure his political success. He maintains to his wife that he cannot be elected unless she will consent to the divorce. This motive is, of course, untrue; for everybody knows that the political managers of a candidate would never allow him to divorce himself during the course of an electoral

campaign. On the contrary, they would either drop him or force him to arrange a reconciliation with his wife. Yet the acting of Mr. Corrigan is so sincere that the audience believes him when he

voices this untruth in the lines that are assigned to him.

The epilogue of the play is an even more emphatic instance of Mr. Belasco's dangerous ability to make the false seem true by lending it the appearance of actuality. Two years after they have been divorced, the hero and the heroine meet at midnight in a Child's restaurant in New York, and at this accidental meeting are reconciled. The defect of this scene is that the heroine, who has been exhibited as a shy, retiring woman who always tucks herself away in bed at a very early hour, would never have gone into this restaurant alone at midnight, and that therefore the hero could not have found her there. The place was selected merely because Mr. Belasco wanted to show how faithfully he could reproduce a Child's restaurant upon the stage. But it is surely bad art to violate the truth of narrative in order to

exhibit certain totally irrelevant facts with photographic fidelity.

But Mr. Belasco's merits as a producer are also evidenced, in this production, in many nice details. Especially notable is the contrast between the extravagant splendor of the house of the *nouveau riche* hero, to which we are introduced in the first act, and the less costly and more delicate dignity of the house of a born aristocrat, which we visit in the second act.

The story of the play is journalistic, but it is sufficiently human to possess a more than passing interest. Daniel S. Slade has worked his way upward to wealth and power from very humble beginnings, aided always by his faithful and simple-minded wife. He is now ambitious for a political career, but the timorous, old-fashioned Mrs. Slade is both unable and unwilling to undertake the social responsibilities of the station to which he aspires. He therefore leaves his home, and resolves to divorce his wife and marry a younger and more attractive woman who can aid him in his climbing. Mrs. Slade opposes the divorce, and the younger woman, who is a daughter of Senator Strickland, goes to see her and to test the temper of her resolution. At this interview Miss Strickland is so moved by the homely pathos of the character of Mrs. Slade that she breaks down and, renouncing her ambition, resolves to marry a young man whom she really loves. Slade then attempts a reconciliation with his wife, but she, in turn, grows stubborn, and insists on getting a divorce herself. At this point the story may be said to end, but, as we have already noted, an epilogue is appended in order to give the producer an opportunity to set a restaurant upon the stage.

This play is loosely built, and the dialogue is wordy, at times even a little dull. But Miss Emma Dunn has achieved the triumph of her career in her realistic acting of the title rôle. Mr. Belasco's clever sense of popular appeal has carried a rather wobbly drama to success.

"WITHIN THE LAW"

"WITHIN the Law," by Mr. Bayard Veiller, is a melodrama with a timely theme.

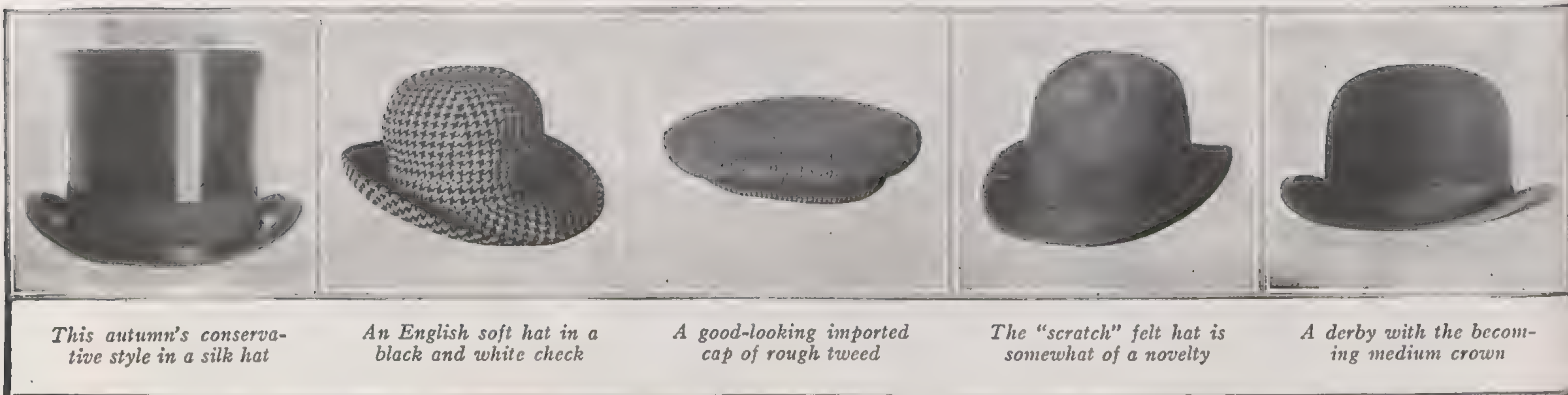
The point of the play is that the rich, by the clever manipulation of subterfuges which, though patently unjust, are literally legal, can often make money by committing misdemeanors for which the poor are daily sent to jail. The piece reveals also the corruption of the police system, and attacks the treacherous methods by which criminals are trapped to self-betrayal.

The heroine, Mary Turner, a shop-girl, on a salary of six dollars a week, is accused unjustly of stealing from the store, and sent to prison for three years. Maintaining her innocence, she assails

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Mr. Lewis Waller carries the magnetism that made his Monsieur Beaucaire so appealing into his rôle in "Discovering America"



This autumn's conservative style in a silk hat

An English soft hat in a black and white check

A good-looking imported cap of rough tweed

The "scratch" felt hat is somewhat of a novelty

A derby with the becoming medium crown

THE WELL-DRESSED MAN

"WHEREWITHAL shall we be hatted?" is the perennial autumn query of man. Lately a wider choice has been possible because of the increasing variety in styles, and the derby, as a result, has ceased to be as ubiquitous as of old. A row of the newest shapes is shown at the top of this page. The general tendency is for lower crowned derbies and flatter brimmed silk hats, but here the question of personal becomingness is the first to be considered. There are many men who never change the block of their stiff hats or the style of their soft hats more than is absolutely necessary from one year to another, and the leading hatters stick closely to the standard, conservative shapes, no matter what novelties they may put in their windows.

The imported "scratch" felt hat and the English tweed soft hat and cap (those illustrated are priced at \$5, \$3.50, and \$3, respectively) furnish examples of the season's fashions that are in better style than many of the velours and felts seen at the shops.

STICKS AND TRAVELING BAGS

In walking-sticks some exceedingly useful novelties may now be had; a few of which are here illustrated. The umbrella cane, a little heavy and clumsy, but with much to recommend it, costs \$5. The suit case umbrella with jointed folding handle and tip to fit the average suit case may be had for from \$3 up. The stick with a small silver cigarette case, pipe case, or match box in the handle, costs from \$15 up. The cane with a little electric light which is covered by a silver band when not in use, costs \$7.50, and the sword and measuring rod canes are priced from \$10 up.

On the following page are illustrated two traveling bags that were chosen from a splendid assortment as being two of the best designs for general purposes. The first is a bellows suit case for long trips that, in this largest size, costs \$29; it will hold nearly as much as a steamer trunk. The second is a russet sole leather for shorter trips, very strongly braced and sewn, and costing \$11.50.

MASCULINE ACCESSORIES

A good-style evening glove is shown on this page. The white kid is not too heavy, and the seams are over-sewed. Price, \$2.50. On the right is a group of four handkerchiefs. Though quite inexpensive, only 50 cents each, the material is good,

and the colors and patterns are very attractive.

One is told now that crêpe ties are particularly in vogue. As a matter of fact they have been as much so for several years, and probably are not as fashionable as the Spitalfields silks, of which several examples of four-in-hands in conservative, dark-toned patterns are shown in the illustrations on page 53. Price, \$2 each. They are higher in cost than most of the crêpes. A dark red crêpe four-in-hand with a small, self-figure and colored diagonal lines is marked in one shop at \$1.50.

SHIRTS AND COLLARS

The most distinctive shirt fabrics are confined almost exclusively to the more expensive shops. At one haberdasher's are shown fine-rib, piqué bodies with cuffs and plaited fronts of piqué, delicately figured in small flowers in natural colors. These cost \$7.50, made to order. At another shop are offered narrow, colored stripe effects in shirts that sell for from \$3 to \$6. But in the more conservative materials, such as those here illustrated, the standard stripes and small figure effects that have been the fashion for years past are still in the lead, and there is infinite variety in designs at prices all the way from \$1.50 to \$4, according to quality.



White kid evening gloves with over-sewed seams

Random Notes on Things Every Man Wants—The Many Advantages to be Gained from Real Shopping and Out of Season Buying



Sticks that are not entirely what they seem

At another good shop at the rate of two for 25 cents; the difference is in the quality of the linen. And so with the high band styles (the smartest of which are now made with rounded corners), and with the various wing styles, though, of course, the fine quality, heavy linens are in much better style than the thinner grades.

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ABOUT WAISTCOATS

The "fancy" waistcoat is less worn by well-dressed men than in years past, but if quite simple in style, it is permissible with dark sack suits or with formal clothes. One of the smartest of the less expensive order is a plain tan crash of pretty weave with plain white pearl buttons, offered for \$3.50. For street dress in winter as well as for the country, the waistcoat of pure French wool, made in quiet, soft, harmonizing, colored

stripes, of which an example is here shown, is also good, and may be had at the unusually low price of \$5. Although in evening waistcoats one may see the extreme in silk materials with jeweled buttons, the great majority of well-groomed men stick to the fine piqué in self-weaves, one style of which with the newer soft roll, three buttons, single-breasted closing, and pointed opening at the bottom, is illustrated on page 53. This waistcoat costs \$12.

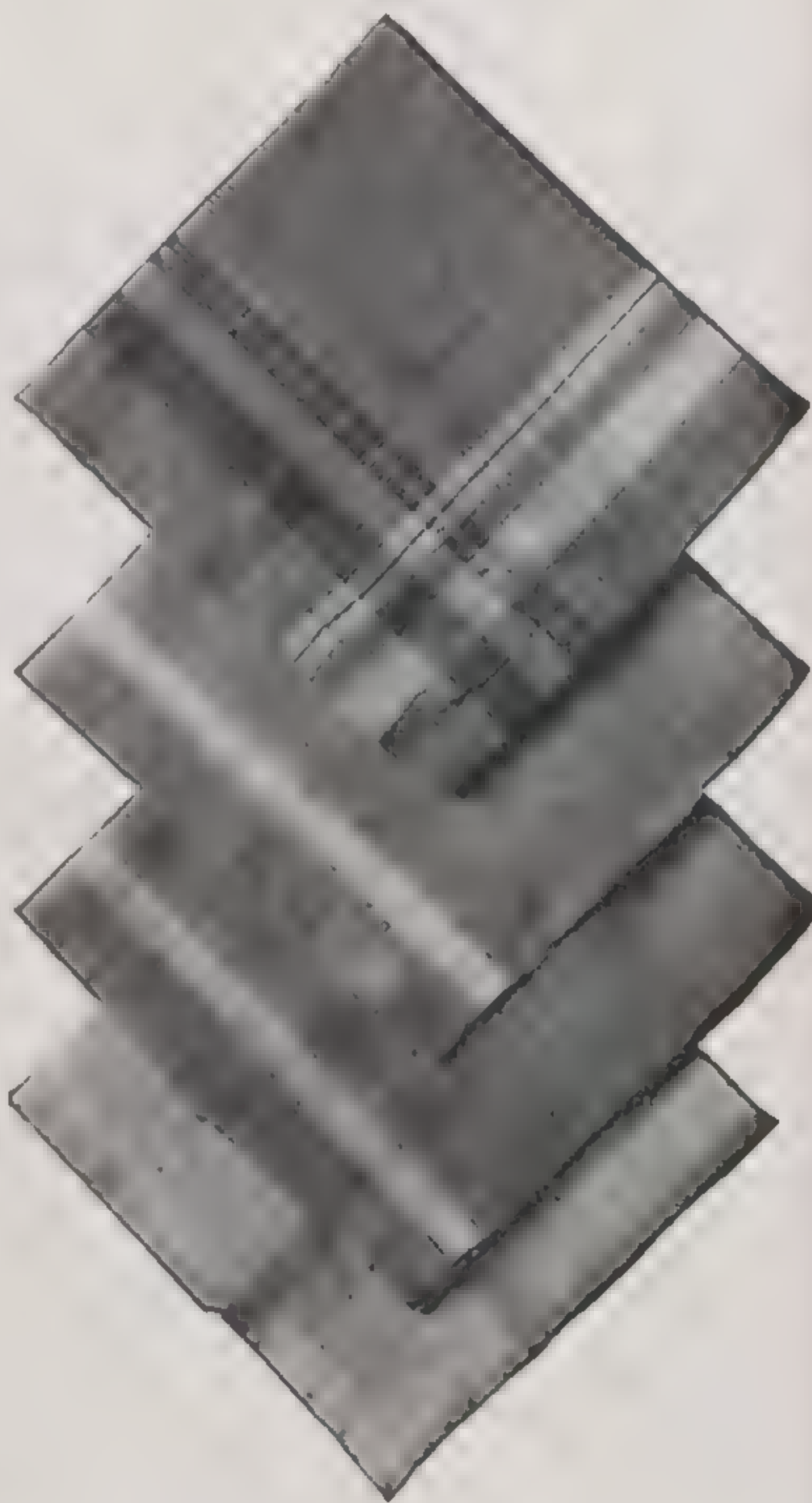
BLANKET COATS AND NORFOLKS

One of the larger shops for men has been showing golf coats of white blanketing, with wide lapels made to turn up to form a high collar behind, and with belt, single box plaits front and back, patched pockets, large white buttons, and tabs on the sleeves. Price, \$10. The same model may be had at the same price in dark red and dark blue. Blazer Norfolk jackets of wide

striped, colored blanketing, but without plaits, are to be had for \$13.50.

REAL SHOPPING FOR MEN

If the average man would stop to consider the advisability of taking advantage of the many special sales and general reductions in prices that a city like New York offers at the end of each season, he would no longer leave all the real shopping to the feminine members of his family. Nor is this opportunity of cutting down the cost of dressing the only argument in favor of deliberate and more or less systematic visits to the men's shops. Some of these have more individuality in the character of their stock, in design, color, and pattern, than others; some make a point of one line of goods. By giving a little time now and then to looking about, a man can do much toward keeping his clothes in



A group of handkerchiefs, attractive in pattern and color

good taste and good condition, can match shirts with suits, neckties with hosiery, and so forth, so that his dress will be much smarter than if he snatched up anything at the first convenient shop.

Objection to this out-of-season buying is sometimes made on the ground that with the changes in fashion another season is likely to bring about, it is not wise to provide so early. But the changes in men's attire are so slight as to make this argument of little value.



Fine piqué in self-weave is the best style for evening wear

that there is no fashion risk whatever in buying, say, a sennit weave, medium straight-brim style, or one of the soft-brim straws of conservative shape, a full year ahead. At one shop some very good-looking, colored silk hat bands, usually 50 cents, were marked down to 25 cents, and similar reductions may be found throughout nearly the whole list of summer haberdashery. "Summer haberdashery," I say, but, after all, in many cases, no more summer than winter, except from the trade point of view. The man who plays squash or indoor tennis needs flannel trousers, belts, and other such toggerly in winter as well as

in summer. The flannel shirt, indeed the thin, soft-front shirt of any kind, is worn throughout the year, and in hosiery, neckties, and various other things, there is little seasonal change.

STANDARD HABERDASHERY

In shirts, neckties, collars, gloves, belts, hosiery, and so forth, there has been little change during the past twelve months; in fact, there are certain patterns and color effects that have really become standard. For example, at one of the leading haberdashers there have been offered recently for \$1 apiece (a reduction of about 50 cents), a number



Bellows suit case with almost the capacity of a steamer trunk



The short trip dressing bag



A French wool waistcoat may be worn for winter street dress

The end-of-the-season sales afford the best opportunity of all for keeping down cost. At this time the most exclusive shops make substantial reductions in clearing out stock, and even after the reduction sale period has passed, as now when the fall and winter trade is in full swing, one may be able to save much by buying out of season. One cannot, of course, saunter aimlessly into any shop and expect to find bargains in full view as was the case in the last week of August and first week of September, but by a certain amount of "shopping" and by inquiry, one can pick up for the next season, if not for this, many articles of attire at prices decidedly less than identically the same things will cost next spring.

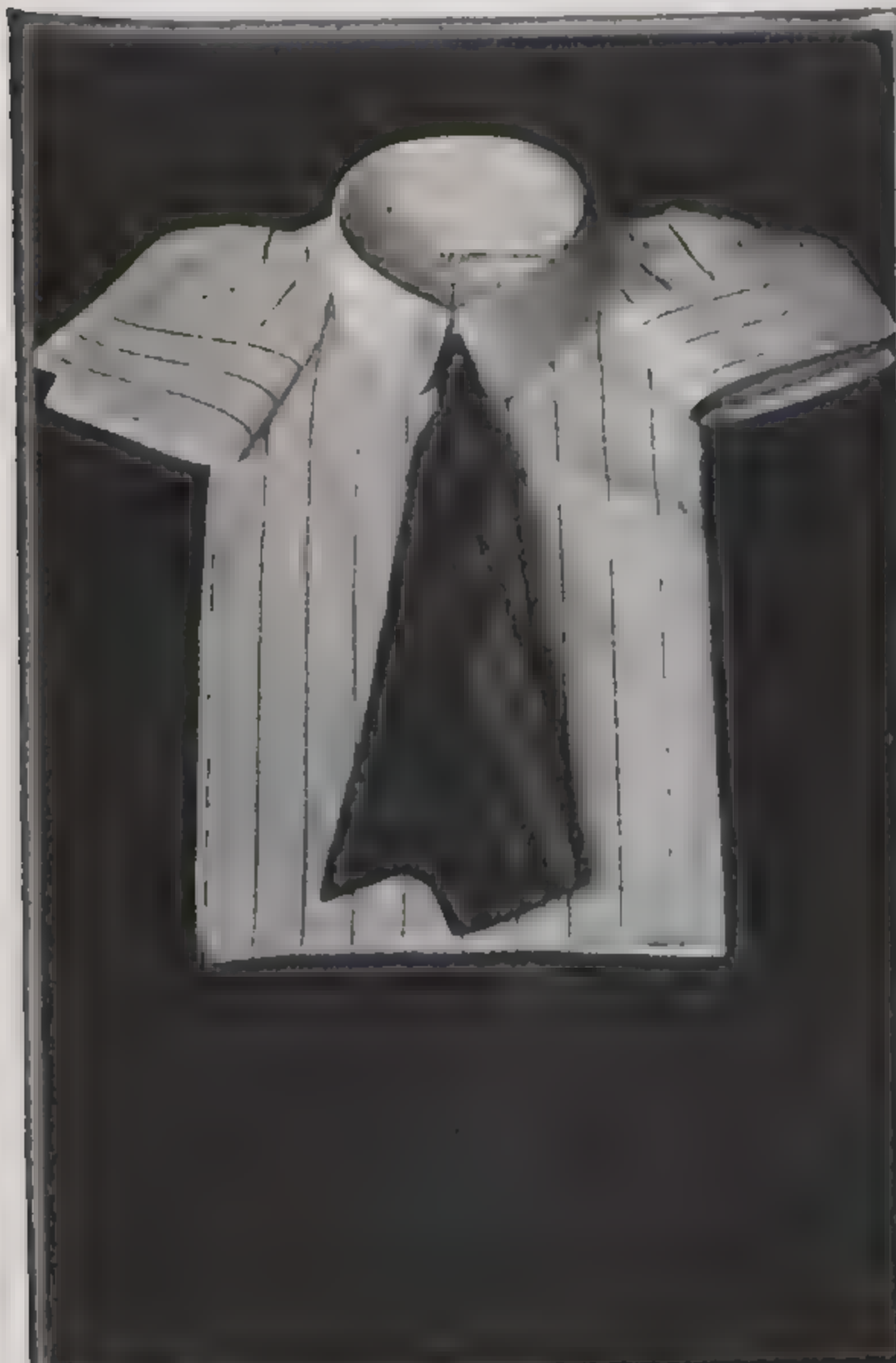
AUTUMN BARGAINS

Even as late as this, the light summer suit, though no longer prominently displayed, is obtainable in a great variety of fabrics; the striped flannel "outing" suit, the extra coat, the crash and linen suit, may all be bought at ridiculously low prices.

Straw hats of every style may still be had at many of the shops from a quarter to a half cheaper than the same qualities were last May, or will be next May, and recent dress history has certainly proved

of four-in-hands in the open center, square, or diamond pattern of contrasting colors on plain grounds. These, though as old as the hills, have never gone out of fashion, and will never be other than good style. And again the so-called Persian designs have been shown at the same shop at the same price for ten years and are just as smart to-day. These materials, like the others, may also be had in bow ties at \$1, and white handkerchiefs with borders to match them are priced at \$1.50 (the latter not a reduction). Still again, not only one, but practically all the smart shops are displaying four-in-hand ties in wide diagonal stripes of bright, contrasting colors that have been in style since time immemorial; and the fine, hand-crocheted ties, in spite of their great popularity and commonness in the cheap qualities, also keep their place in the cases of the leading haberdashers. Here and there is seen a little variation or novelty in weave, or coloring, it is true, but the effect is the same, and the prices range from \$1 to \$2.50, depending upon the quality of the silk.

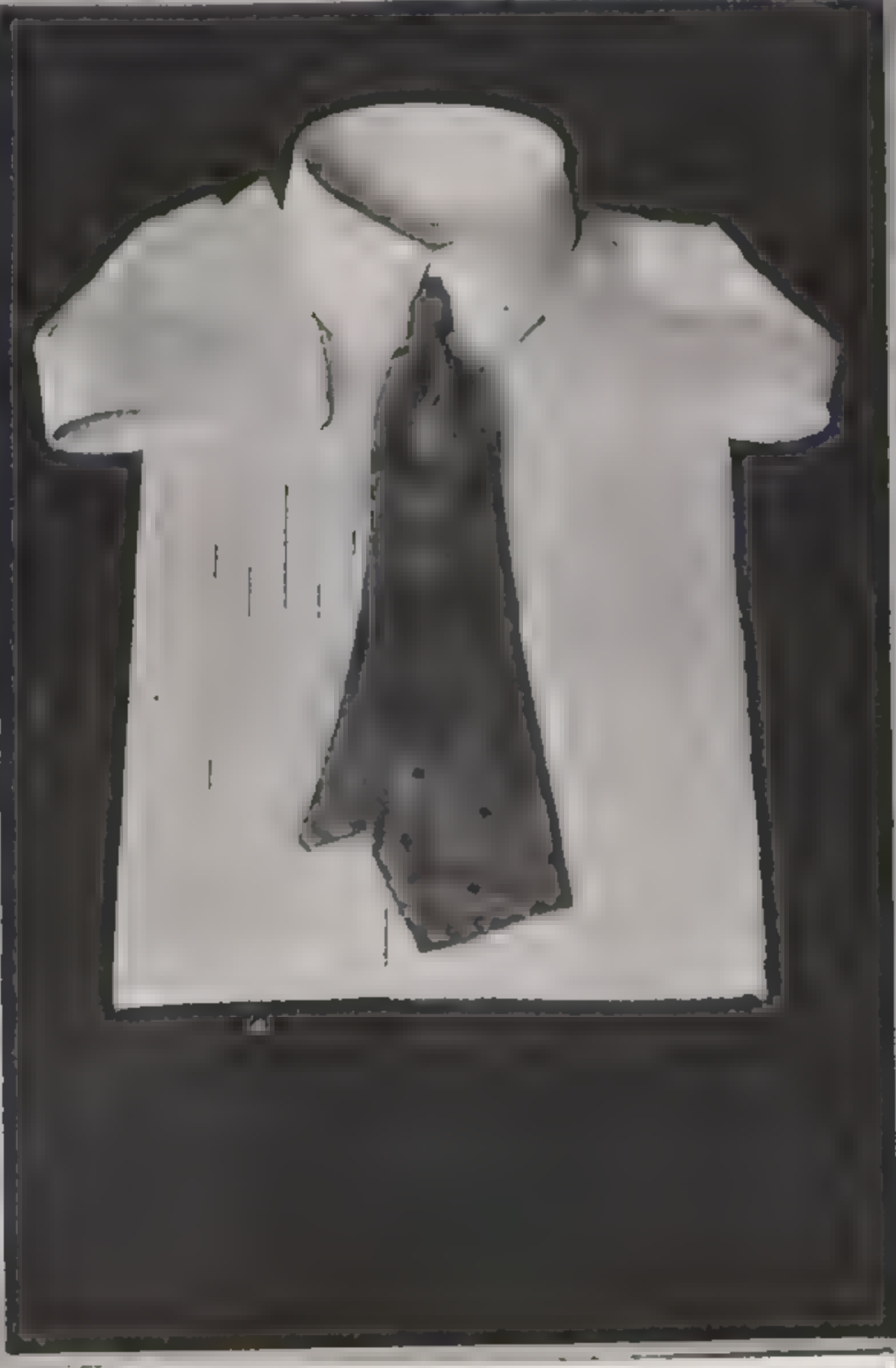
[Note.—The Shopping Department will be very glad to purchase any of the articles illustrated on these pages, should they be desired.]



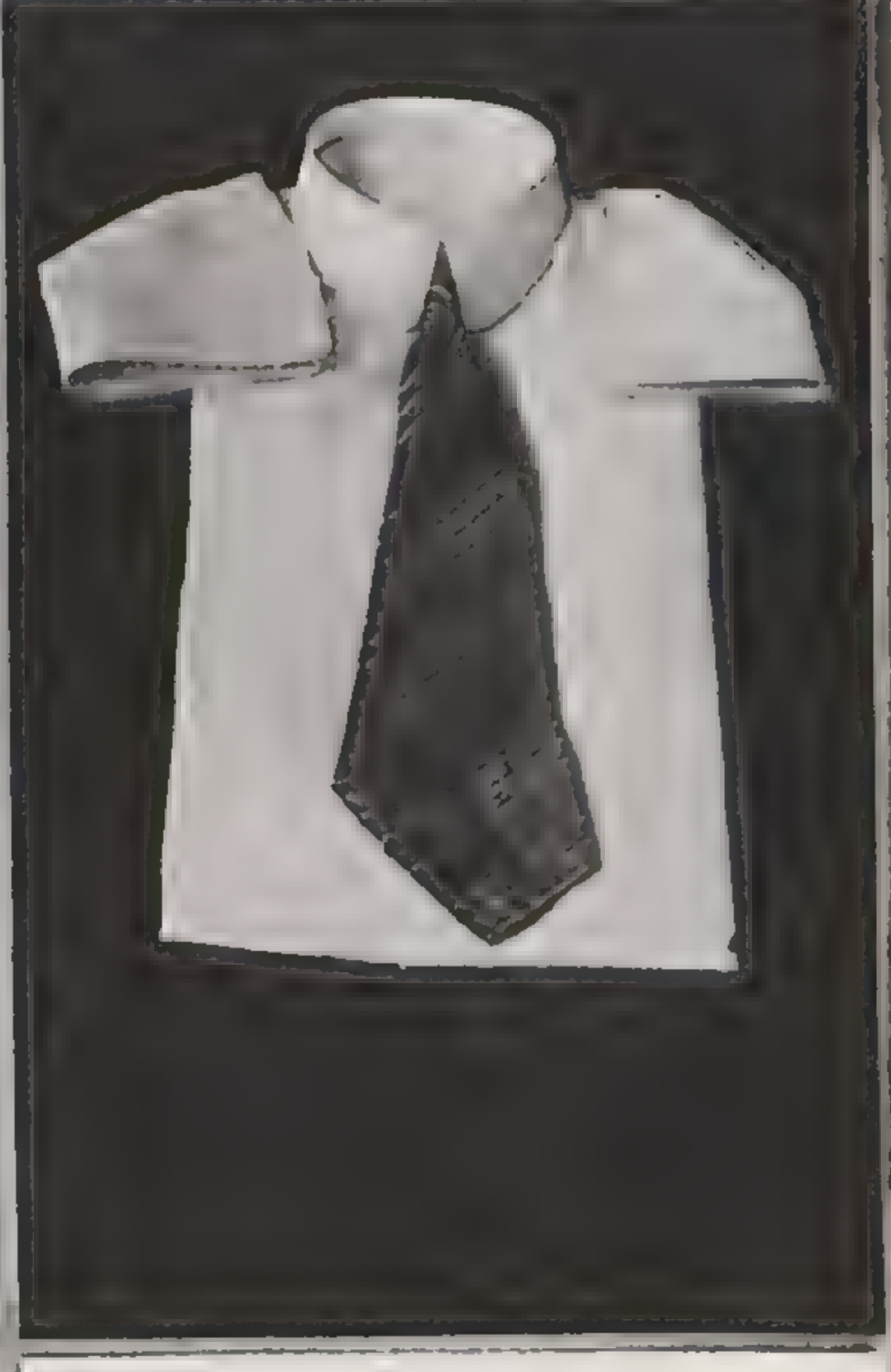
The diagonal-striped four-in-hand continues to be worn



A distinctly striped shirt that is also finely tucked



Changeable silk ties with pronounced dots are in style



A soft madras shirt with broad and pin stripes in color

TIME-SAVERS FOR THE MODERN KITCHEN



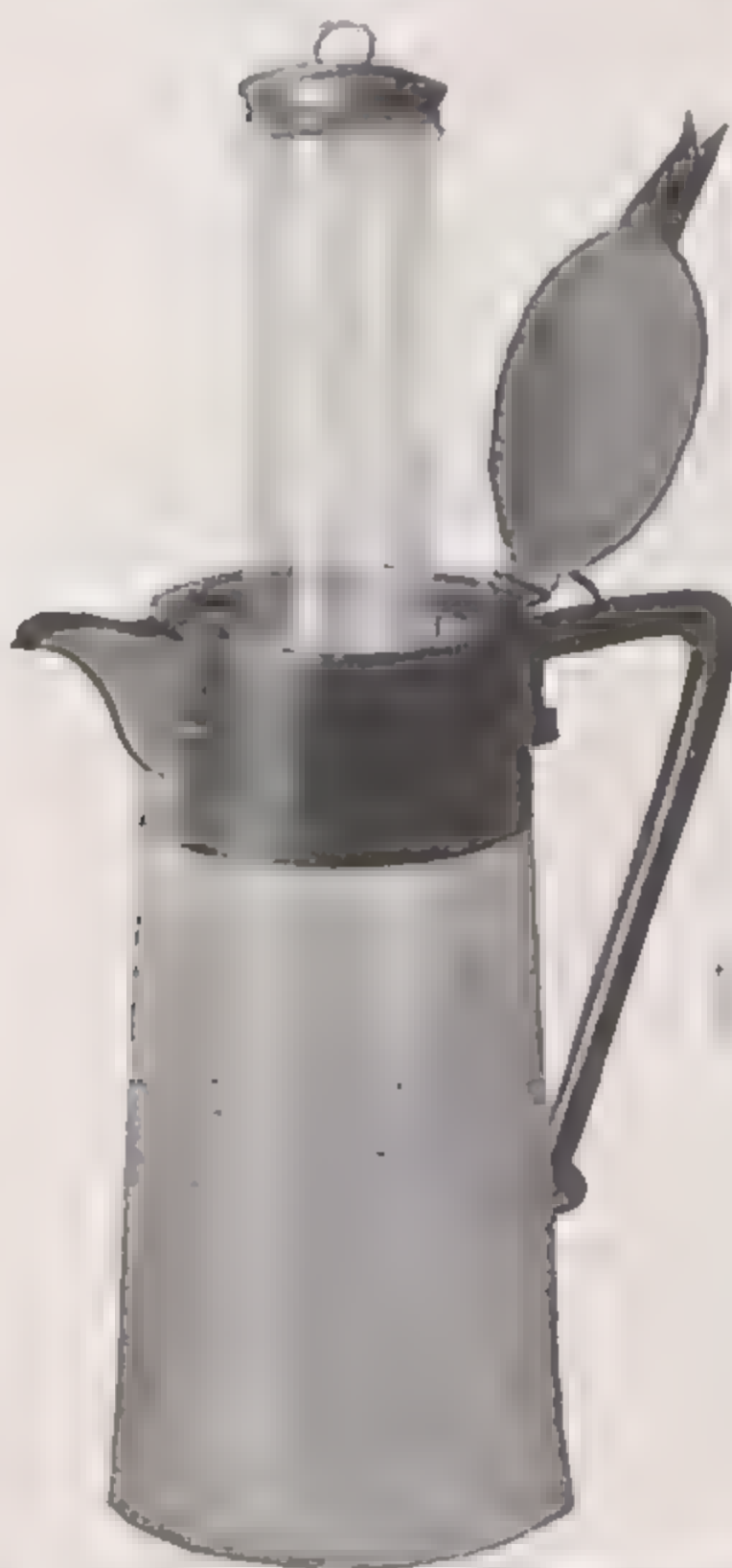
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Stone of Progress, Constantly
Simplifies Household Toil

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By turning the handle of this bread-mixer
for three minutes the bread is kneaded



Mayonnaise mixer
which insures suc-
cess by allowing the
oil to drop slowly



Pitcher with separate
tube for ice to preserve
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Icing for cakes may
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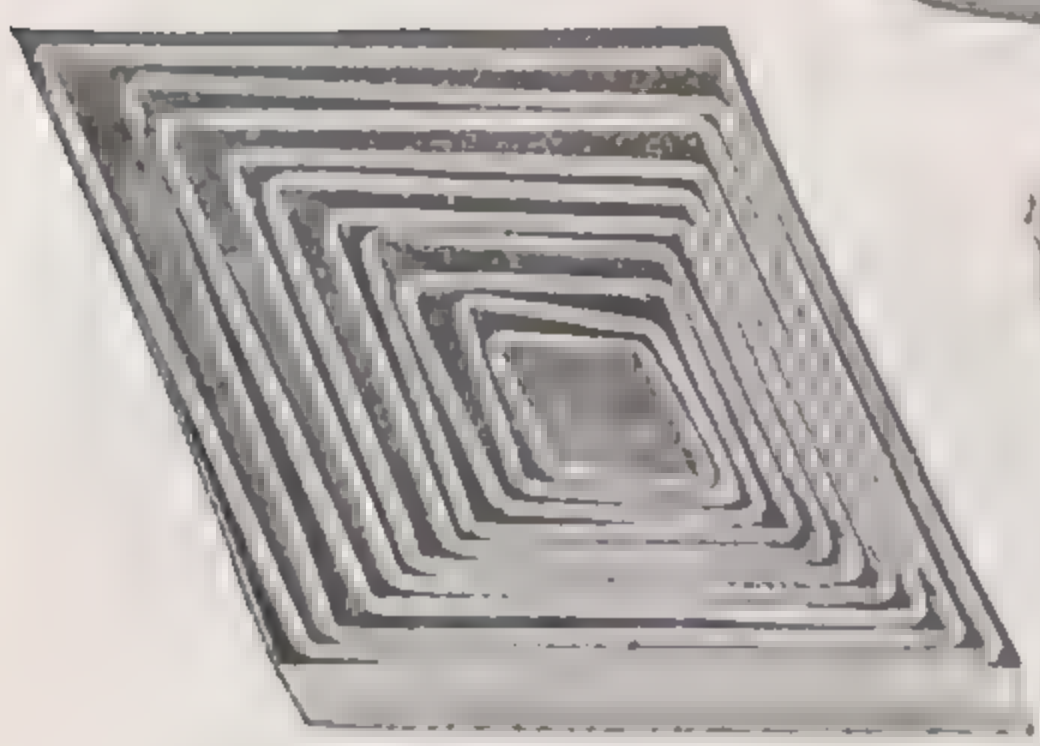
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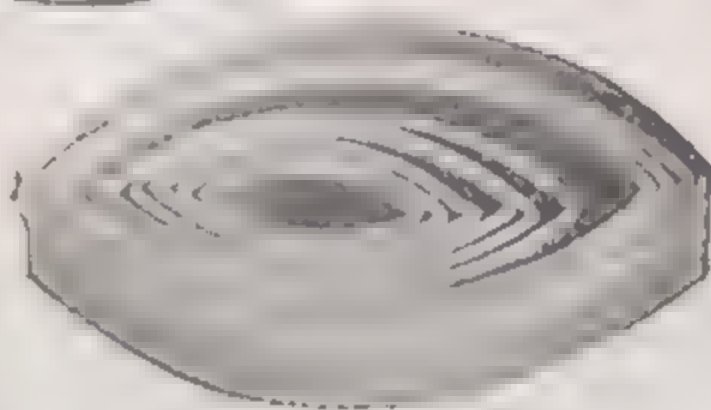
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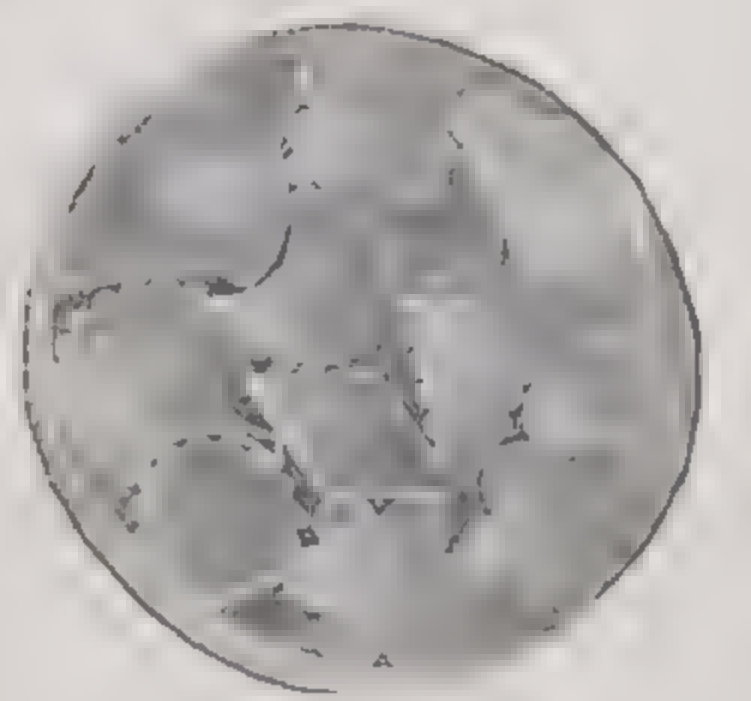
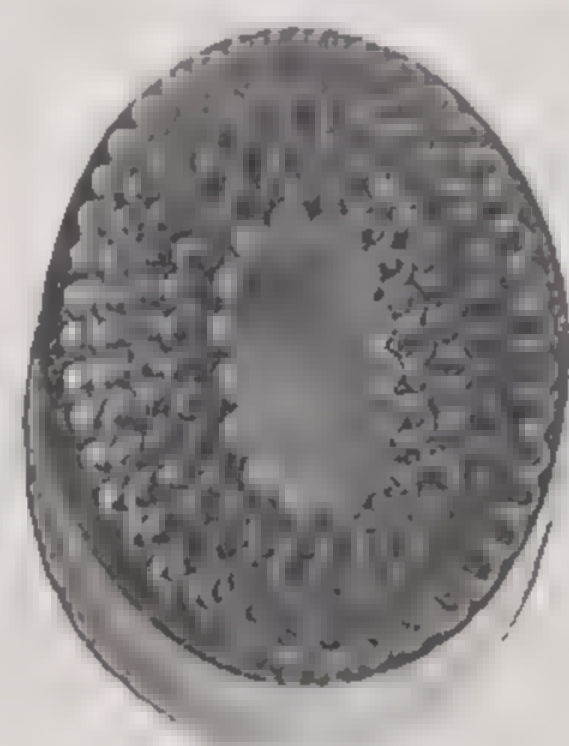
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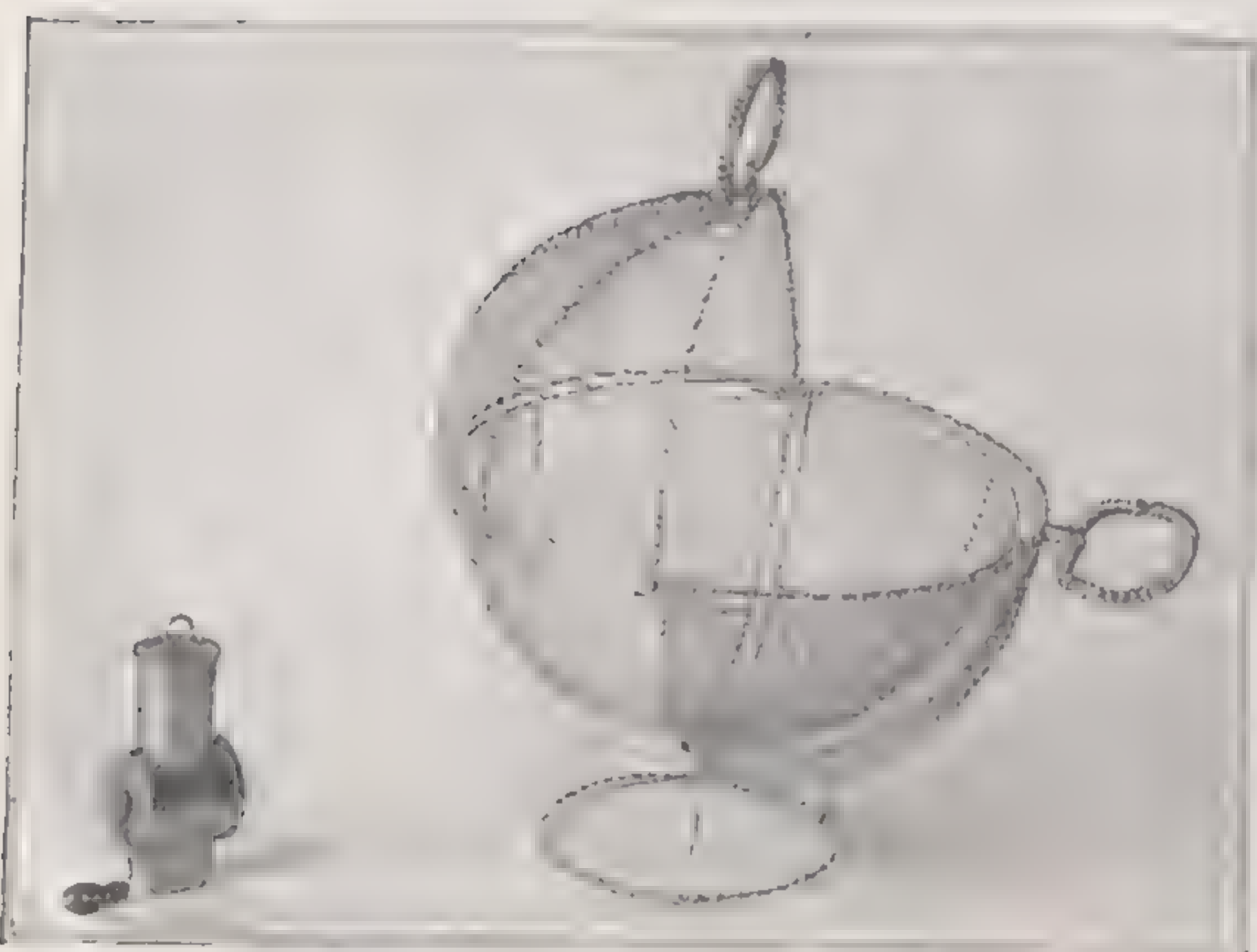
Nests of cake tins
which give a choice
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A spoon drainer is cleanly and convenient



Tins for cookies and tartlets, and fancy
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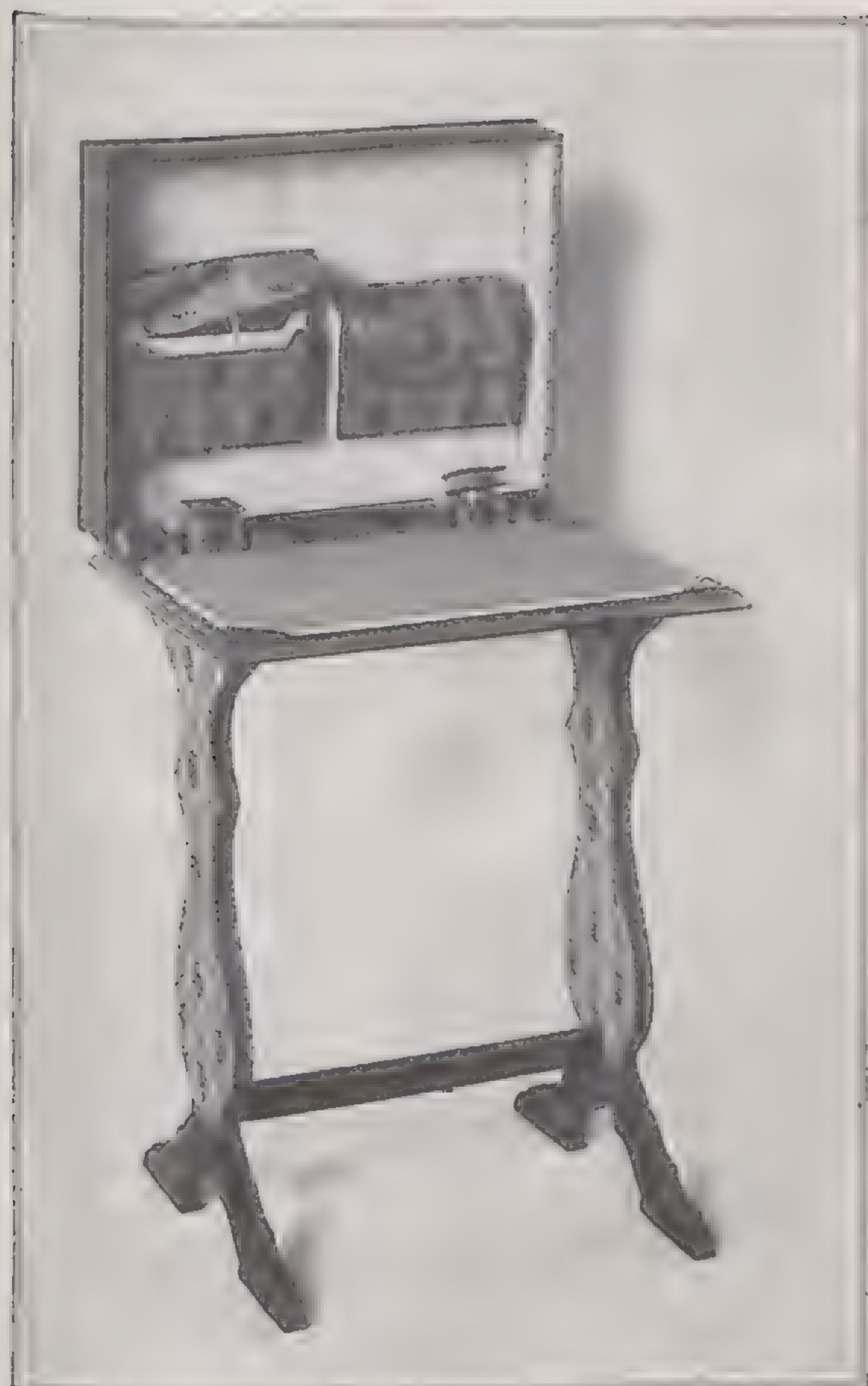
New contrivances for washing lettuce and
grating nutmeg to best advantage



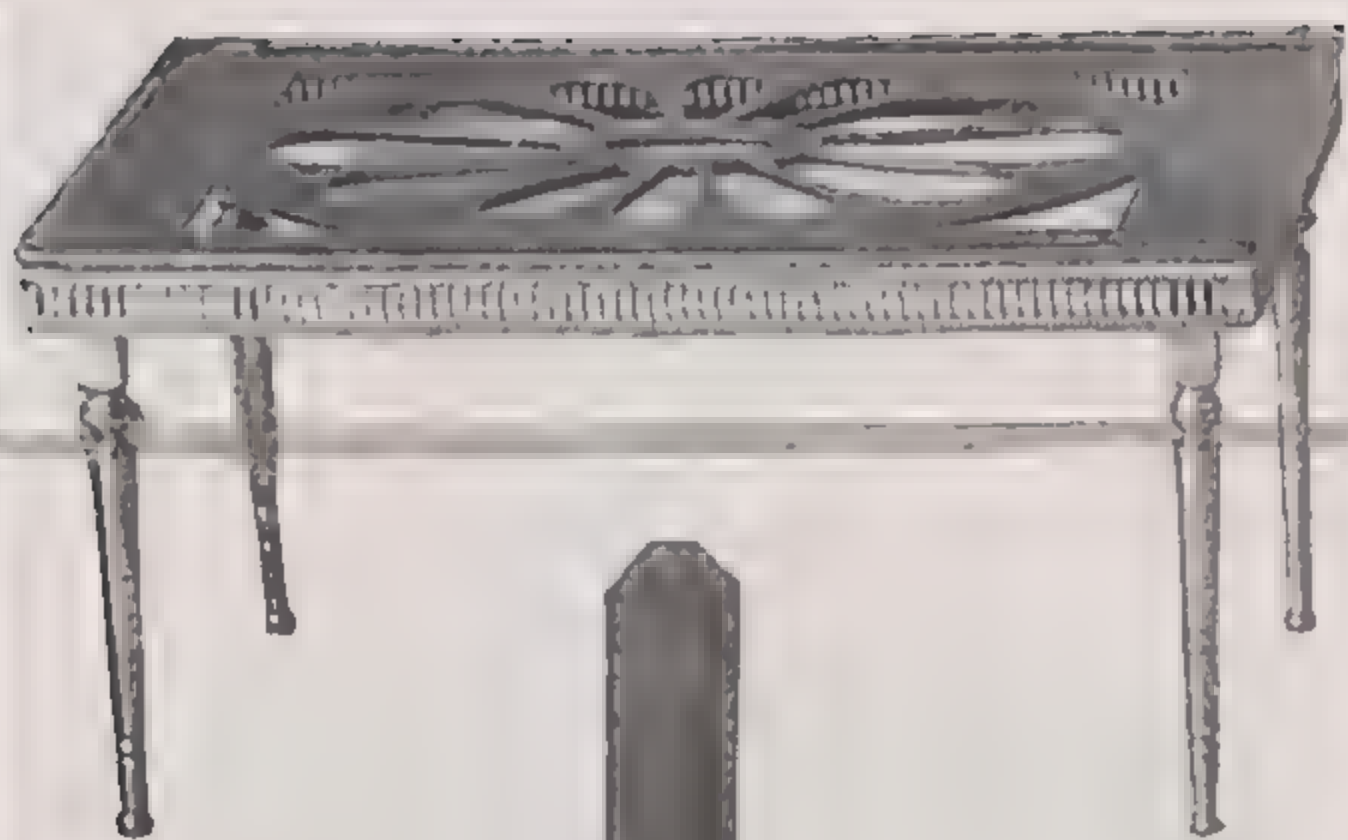
For cutting and decorating
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An egg crate to ship eggs successfully from
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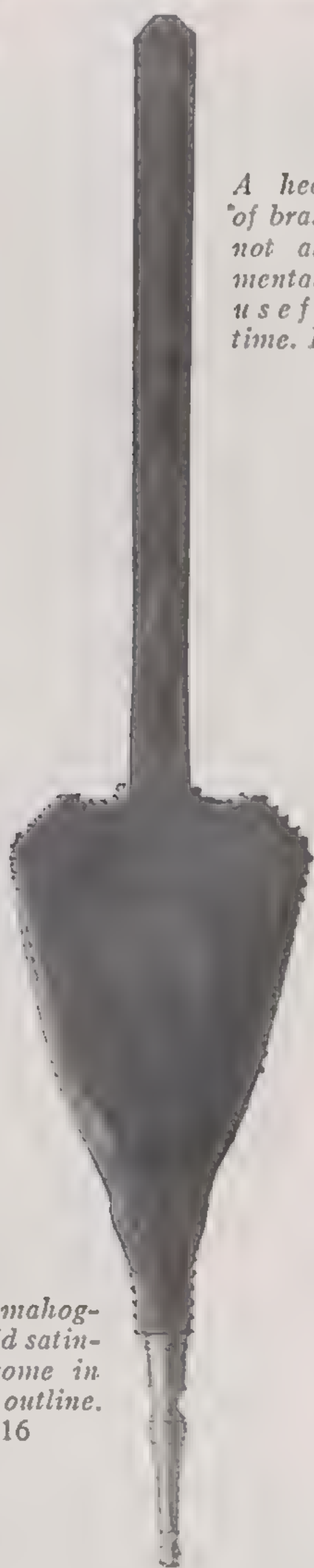
A desk of French tapestry for the boudoir or guest-room, which, when closed, looks like a table. Price, \$42.50



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The useful work table is here beautified by a good design, French gilt, gold lace, and ribbon roses. Price, \$52.50



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NEW ELEMENTS IN HOUSE DECORATION—BIBELOTS OF

THERE is something about the shops upon the first return to town that is fairly exhilarating, especially when the refurnishing or redecorating of a house is to be considered. The house in the making has an appeal few women can resist. From garret (if garrets still existed in modern houses) to cellar, it is a pleasure to select, or direct the selection of articles which are to make our home.

On the following page are shown some of the new hangings. The gay English cretonnes are for bedrooms where the style of the furniture is English. Quite different is the rich, brocaded curtain which shows a decidedly Chinese influence. This stuff is adapted to more formal rooms where Chippendale and Chinese Chippendale furniture are used.

For the bedroom are illustrated some Adam chairs of distinction that may be used in small reception rooms or bedrooms, while for living-room or library is shown the favorite fireside chair. Such dainty French pieces as the desk and work table and other bibelots shown on this page give a hint

UTILITY AND BEAUTY—UNUSUAL DESIGNS IN USUAL ARTICLES

of the many attractive things for the boudoir to be found in specialty shops as well as in the larger stores.

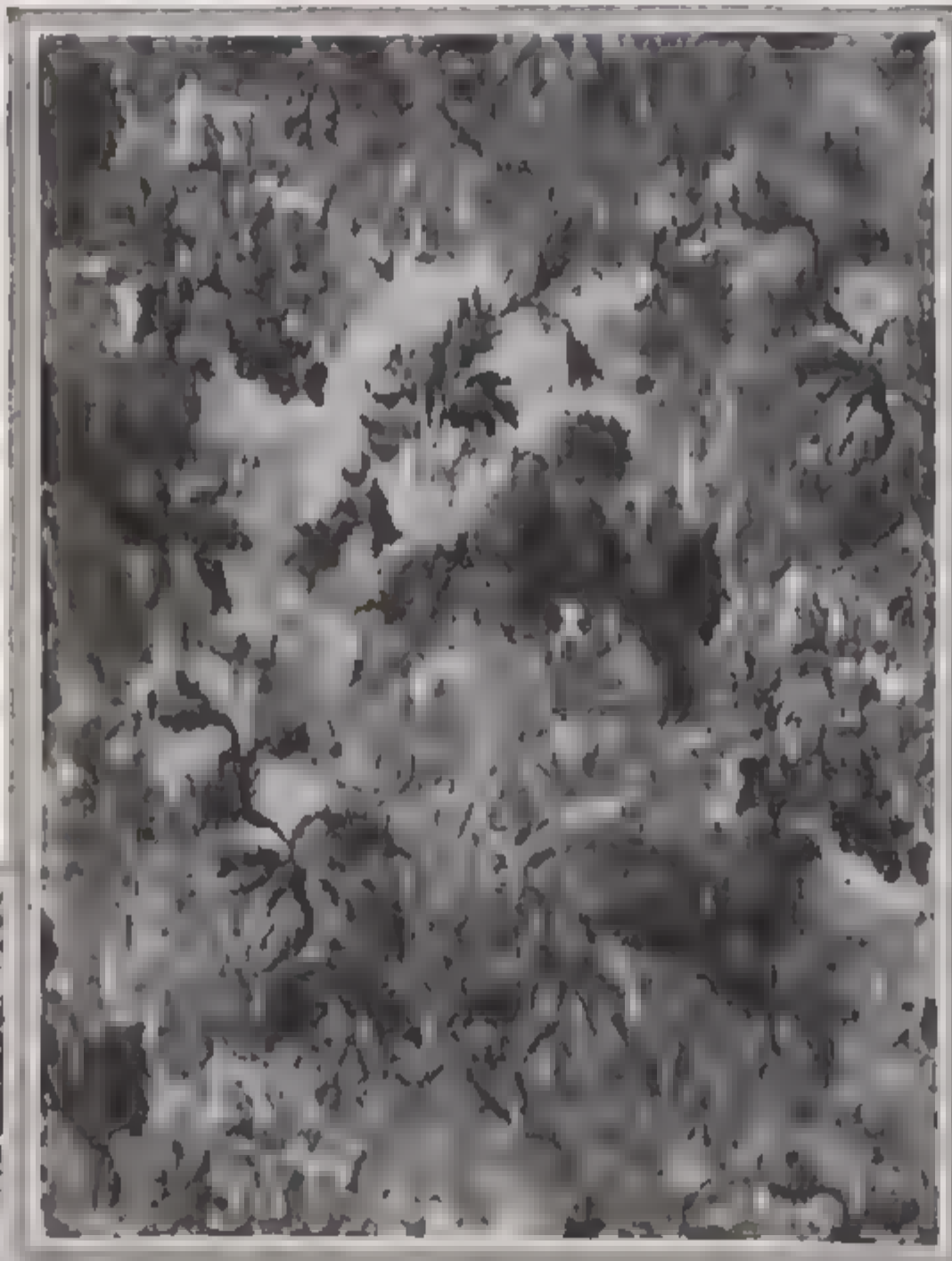
The mistress of a well-run establishment is quick to adopt for her kitchen every convenience which fertile minds are constantly devising to save time and labor. Some of these devices are illustrated on page 54. The bread mixer is a wonderful labor saver, for by turning the crank for three consecutive minutes the bread is sufficiently kneaded. The spoon dripper is a useful thing to hang near the range during the cooking. Such a device will often save the tiled floor of the kitchen from being marred by spots. The lettuce washer not alone saves time, but insures better cleaning and drying. The tea-pot is remarkable. Instead of the whole lid coming off as is usual, only a part of the top is removed. Inside there is an upper shelf where the tea is put; the pot is then laid on its side to draw the tea. When returned to its regular position the tea no longer comes in contact with the leaves, and this prevents all possible injurious effects from the tannin.

THE GLOWING COLORS OF AN ENGLISH GARDEN OR
THE INFLUENCE OF CHIPPENDALE MARK THE
NEW CRETONNES—SOME ARISTOCRATS IN FURNITURE

FROM TIFFANY STUDIOS



A chrome-colored cretonne showing a decidedly Chinese influence



Cretonne in floral design in the vivid coloring of the English styles



Queen Anne design in bureau and chair of walnut with a curtain of the same period colored with brilliant-plumaged birds and gay flowers

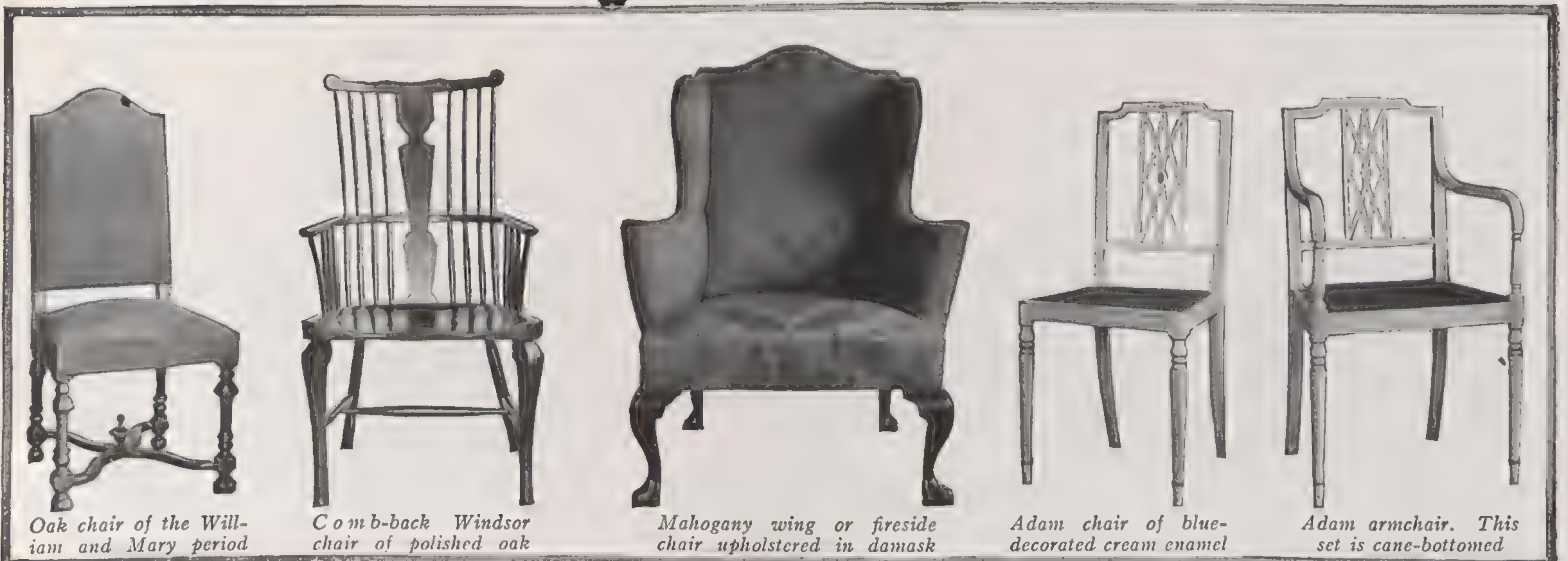
A type of the English shadow cretonne which yet has splendid masses of color



Harmonious grouping of Chippendale table, lamp, and brocade curtain showing Chinese influence, and an armchair of pure Chippendale



Table of walnut of the now popular period of William and Mary



Oak chair of the William and Mary period

Comb-back Windsor chair of polished oak

Mahogany wing or fireside chair upholstered in damask

Adam chair of blue-decorated cream enamel

Adam armchair. This set is cane-bottomed



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THE CHARM OF YOUTH TEMPERED BY A BECOMING DIGNITY
THOROUGHLY CHARACTERISTIC OF MONSIEUR REDFERN
IS SHOWN IN THESE THREE MODELS FROM HIS SALONS

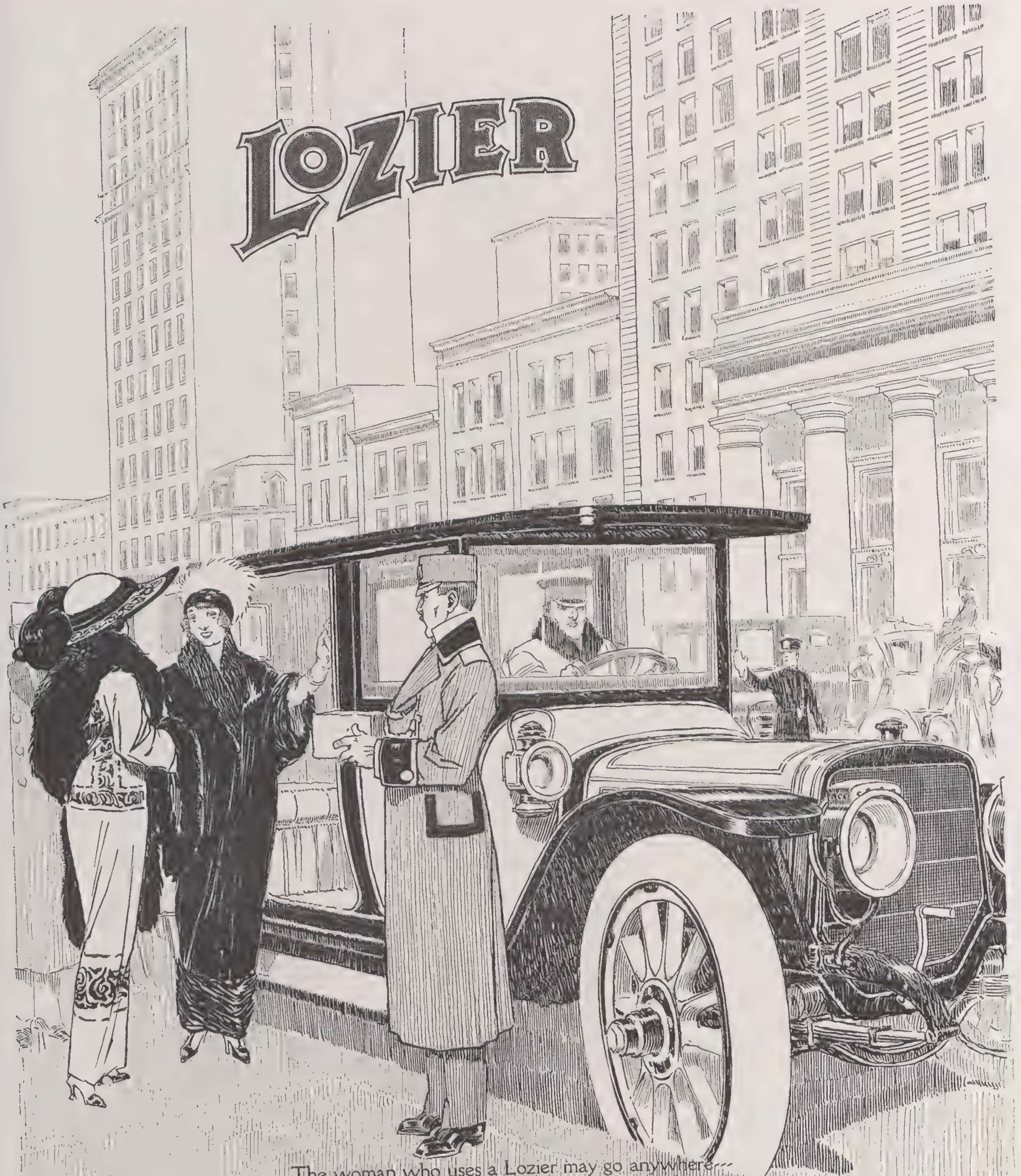


A design of crystal beads lends an illusion of glittering dewdrops to the hand-painted, rose-patterned chiffon, and the pearl-beaded ends of the girdle carry out the suggestion of flowers. The veiled brilliancy of a foundation of yellow charmeuse gives warmth and life to the color scheme. A flounce of Alençon lace finishes the puffed tunic

This blue serge walking suit has the very English appellation of "Dick." With its white waistcoat and its narrow cuffs and collar of corded silk it is extremely chic. The coat is seamed in the middle of the back, and hangs rather straight from its trim, cape-like yoke. A single width of cloth forms the skirt, which is fitted to the hips by means of rather complicated, curved seams

An interesting combination of color is shown in this afternoon frock of tan and black plaid with a girdle of brilliant orange velvet. Yellow buttons rimmed in jet and set in a slanting line on the tunic and at the cuff fastening make pretty spots of color. The turn-over collar of brown satin gives variety of tone to the whole

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In 2047/20 and 1918/20 embroidery banding could complete a small amount of material and make successful waists.

Such models as 1954/20 and 1995/20 are particularly adapted to two materials. The first could be of a brocaded fabric with part of the blouse and the underskirt of plain charmeuse; the second could have the tunic, hem, and waist of brocaded chiffon and the main dress of charmeuse, or it could be of chiffon and shadow lace.

In the afternoon dresses, 1801/20, 2030/20, and 1968/20, heavier materials than charmeuse are equally suitable.

In 1870/20 a good type of morning dress is shown; it is pretty when made of serge trimmed with a striped silk.

No. 2036/20.—Dainty blouse of charmeuse and tucked chiffon. The model requires, in medium size, $1\frac{1}{2}$ yards of charmeuse, 44 inches wide; $1\frac{1}{4}$ yards of chiffon, 44 inches wide. Price, 50 cents.

No. 2047/20.—Blouse of striped taf-

A New Phase of the Mode that Works to the Advantage of the Slender Purse—Developed in Vogue Patterns



2036/20

2047/20

1918/20

feta with embroidered trimming bands and lace plaitings. The model requires 2 yards of silk, 36 inches wide; 2 yards of embroidered banding; 2 yards of 3-inch-wide lace for plaited frill; $1\frac{1}{4}$ yards of lace, $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches wide, for sleeves; $\frac{3}{8}$ of a yard of satin, 24 inches wide, for belt; $\frac{3}{8}$ of a yard of chiffon for undersleeves. Price, 50 cents.

No. 1918/20.—Effective blouse of white marquisette with bands of embroidery worked in floss. The model requires 2 yards of 45-inch material, $1\frac{3}{4}$ yards of embroidered banding, 16

crochet buttons. Patterns cut in 6 pieces. Price, 50 cents.

No. 1954/20.—Draped gown, which may be of ivory crêpe de Chine with bands of Venise lace bordered in a fold of satin; or of brocaded and plain charmeuse. The model requires $4\frac{3}{4}$ yards of 44-inch material; $2\frac{1}{2}$ yards of lace, 8 inches wide; $1\frac{1}{2}$ yards of lace, 3 inches wide; $\frac{3}{8}$ yard of all-over lace, 12 inches deep; $1\frac{3}{4}$ yards of 36-inch satin. Pattern cut in 18 pieces. Price, \$1.

No. 1995/20.—An effective gown of charmeuse with a tunic of chiffon bro-

cade velvet. The model requires 2 yards of allover lace, 42 inches wide; $4\frac{1}{2}$ yards of plain satin, 36 inches wide; $1\frac{3}{4}$ yards of lace insertion, 2 inches wide. Waist cut in 10 pieces, including two-piece kimono lining. Skirt cut in 5 pieces. Price, 50 cents for waist or skirt.

No. 1801/20.—Dress of 46-inch bordered material with filet of all-over embroidery. The materials required are $4\frac{1}{2}$ yards of bordered material, $\frac{1}{2}$ yard of all-over lace, 20 inches wide, and $2\frac{1}{2}$ yards of silk, 24 inches wide, for the waist and sleeve lining. Waist pattern cut in 15 pieces, including lining. Skirt pattern cut in 3 pieces. Price, 50 cents for waist or skirt.

No. 2030/20.—Effective costume of serge trimmed with black velvet and having a chemisette of net. The model requires $4\frac{1}{2}$ yards of serge, 50 inches wide; 1 yard of velvet, 19 inches wide; $\frac{1}{4}$ yard of all-over lace for chemisette, 12 glass buttons, 7 serge-covered buttons. The waist pattern is cut in 12 pieces; the skirt in 4 pieces including girdle foundation. Price, 50 cents for waist or skirt.

No. 1968.—French toilette of elephant-gray satin with brocaded corsage. The model, in medium size, requires $3\frac{3}{4}$ yards of satin, 44 inches wide; $1\frac{1}{4}$ yards of all-over lace, 20 inches wide; 2 yards of all-over tucked chiffon, 24 inches wide. Pattern of waist cut in 7 pieces. Pattern of skirt in 5 pieces. Price, 50 cents for waist or skirt.

No. 1870/20.—Dress of serge with top collar, pointed cuffs, and front piece of black and white striped silk. Materials required are 6 yards of 36-inch material; $\frac{1}{2}$ yard of striped material, 36 inches wide, or 1 yard of silk, 24 inches wide, for top collar, cuffs and front piece; and $\frac{1}{2}$ yard of all-over batiste embroidery for collar and yoke. Price of skirt or waist pattern, 50 cents each.

NOTE.—Sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40 bust measure, and 22, 24, 26, 28 waist measure.



1954/20

1995/20

1801/20

2030/20

1968/20

1870/20

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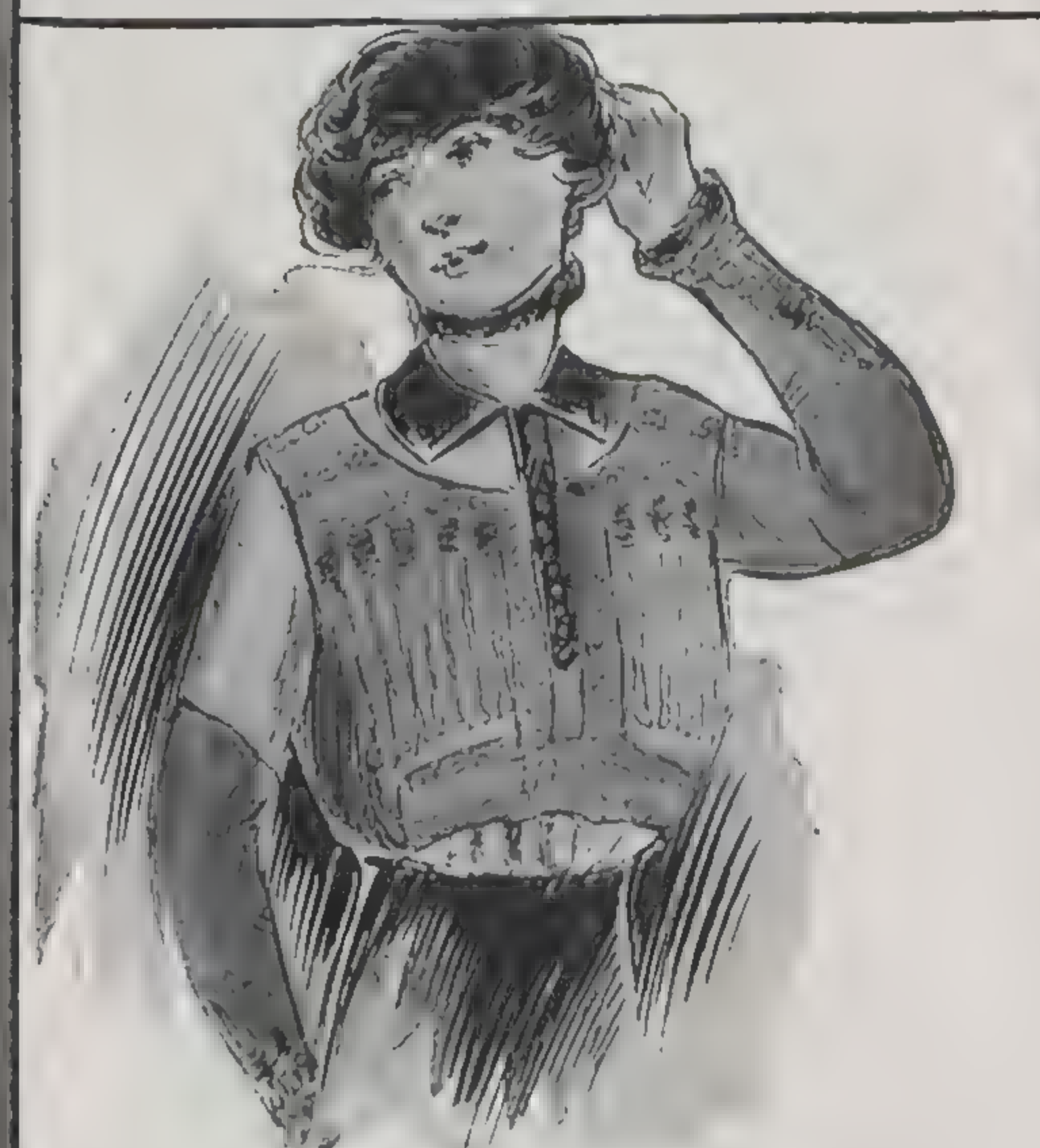
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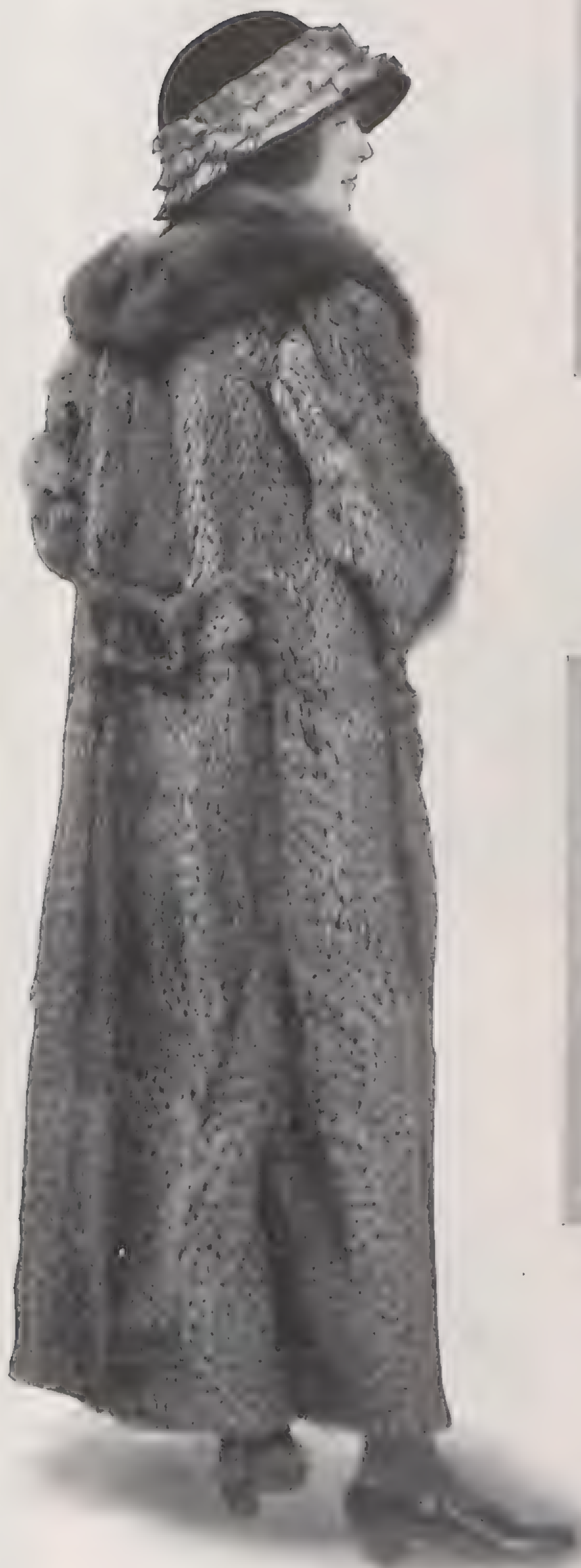
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OLD SHOP FRONTS of LONDON

TWENTY years ago the mandate went forth that improvements were to be made in "The Little Green Shop on Cornhill," famed in story and song. The news brought consternation to the hearts of those who had come to look upon this relic of oldest London as invincible against the wiles of the speculative builder. A sigh of partial relief was breathed when they heard it was only the upper part that was to suffer, for after all it was inevitable that the quaint superstructure, with its one-story and old pan-tile roof, should go the way of all old things and that in its place a four-story, modern building should rear its ugly head. So let the lovers of antiquities and the present owners of the firm render thanks that the little, old shop still remains. Outside an endless stream of busy, anxious people wend their way, worrying as their grandfathers refused to worry; outside the monster motor buses clatter on their journeys, disdaining the centuries of long ago when the powers of electricity were not yet gauged; but the little old shop stands serenely aloof and those who will, need only step inside it to find themselves back in the days of the Merry Monarch.

Before the devastating, divine fire, which swept the city and gave London back her health, the little green shop stood as it stands now and was one of the few old buildings to escape the trail of the red finger. The first Birch, proprietor of the shop which to this day bears that name, was Lord Mayor of London. His little shop provided the luscious turtle soup and other delicacies for the Lord Mayoral banquets, the feasts of the City Companies, and the spreads in the gray shadows of the Guildhall, and in this year of grace, nineteen hundred and twelve, the same little shop does such catering.

THE GREEN SHOP ON CORNHILL

The little green shop is ornate. In common with all old shop fronts it is wood—in fact, more wood than window—a contrast to modern firms. This wood has for generations appeared smooth and flat, but lately, after time and the elements had worked some havoc with the surface, it was discovered that a hundred coats of paint had hidden the rich carvings that now stand forth in all their beauty.

And inside, the gourmet is tempted by the richest, turtle soup, and by fine old port wine which must be sipped to the accompaniment of a Maid of Honor cake for which the establishment is famed. The collector is tantalized by a beautiful, antique Gothic screen dividing the front from the back shop—a carved wooden screen to the musty arches of which still cling fragments of paint, gold and purple and blue. It is rumored the screen was either bought or stolen from old St. Paul's Church before the great Fire of London.

How Their Owners Cling to Ancestral Traditions and Refuse to Have Their Old Premises Commercially Improved



Here King George IVth as Regent was wont to buy his snuff

A SECOND DICK WHITTINGTON

The first owner of the little green shop has been named the second Dick Whittington. The small lad, "son of Horton's apprentice," used to sit perched on a high stool at the back of the shop, there to dream the dreams which one day materialized into a little shop that catered to the appetites of rotund aldermen. The dreamer himself rose to be a member of this august body, then filled the civic chair with right good will, and to his credit be it said that he brought in the fashion for turtle soup which has delighted so many gourmets.

While there was merrymaking in the little green shop there must often have been bitter sadness without, for it is said that the old hanging ground was situated just behind it.

A SHOP WINDOW CONTROVERSY

The other old shop fronts of London, of which there still remain quite a few, seem to stand in a kind of mute aggrivement against the modern shops—those huge structures raised around and above great plate-glass windows, with no attempt made to beautify the shop fronts themselves, so long as the goods behind them are temptingly displayed.

Of late, London has been torn in con-

trovery with regard to the new Regent Street shops designed by Norman Shaw.

"Artistic shop fronts at last as in the good old days," said those with an eye to beauty.

"What use are these windows to us?" cried the directors and managers of these great stores. "We want large windows which we can decorate cunningly, not with finely carved woods, but with frills and furbelows to catch the eye of the passerby."

Alas! this is a commercial age and the gay chattering stream of the buying public, which would see in one comprehensive glance almost all a shop has to offer, will probably have its way.

THE TOBACCONIST TO KING GEORGE

There are, however, owners of shops who will not have the old fronts modernized, who love the old shops that have borne the name of their sires for many generations.

One of the most interesting of these is the tobacco shop of Fribourg and Treyer, purveyors to several majesties and a royal highness, which is situated in the Haymarket. The owners have been approached over and over again by modern shop front designers, who have pointed out the increase in business that would result with a fine front, but a shake of the head and a polite "Good morning," have been their only comments. They could not forget that up those well-worn steps, leading to the old shop, the portly figure of the Regent, afterwards George IVth, used to toil, for, to His Majesty's way of thinking, there was no such snuff in the world as was sold by his humble subjects, Masters Fribourg and Treyer. Even now, although the trade is cigars and cigarettes, there are many of the old nobility who still fill their antique snuff boxes with that fine blend to be bought only at the old Haymarket shop.

Over the door of an old shop in Greek Street, Soho, the name "Breun" has stood for many a long day. Antique prints are sold there. The old front differs from most of the others in that it is straight instead of bowed, and is all in one length instead of being intersected by a door in the middle with a window on each side. The shop has been repaired repeatedly for the owner is resolved that it shall stand as long as it has one brick left upon another.

A General Printer's shop in Moor Street, Soho, is another interesting example of an old front. It also differs radically from the conventional eighteenth century front. The windows are very small with segmental tops and each window is guarded by ornamental, wrought iron railings. Lock, the famous hatter, has a fine old example of a shop front well worth studying.

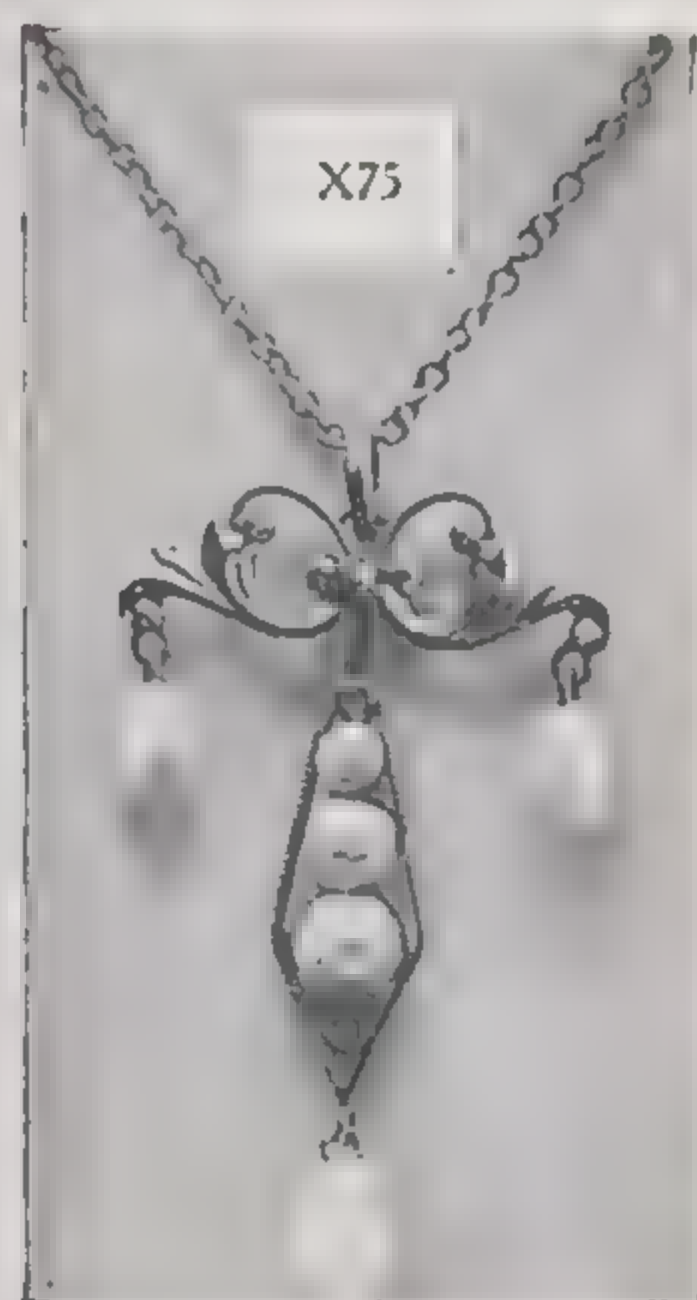


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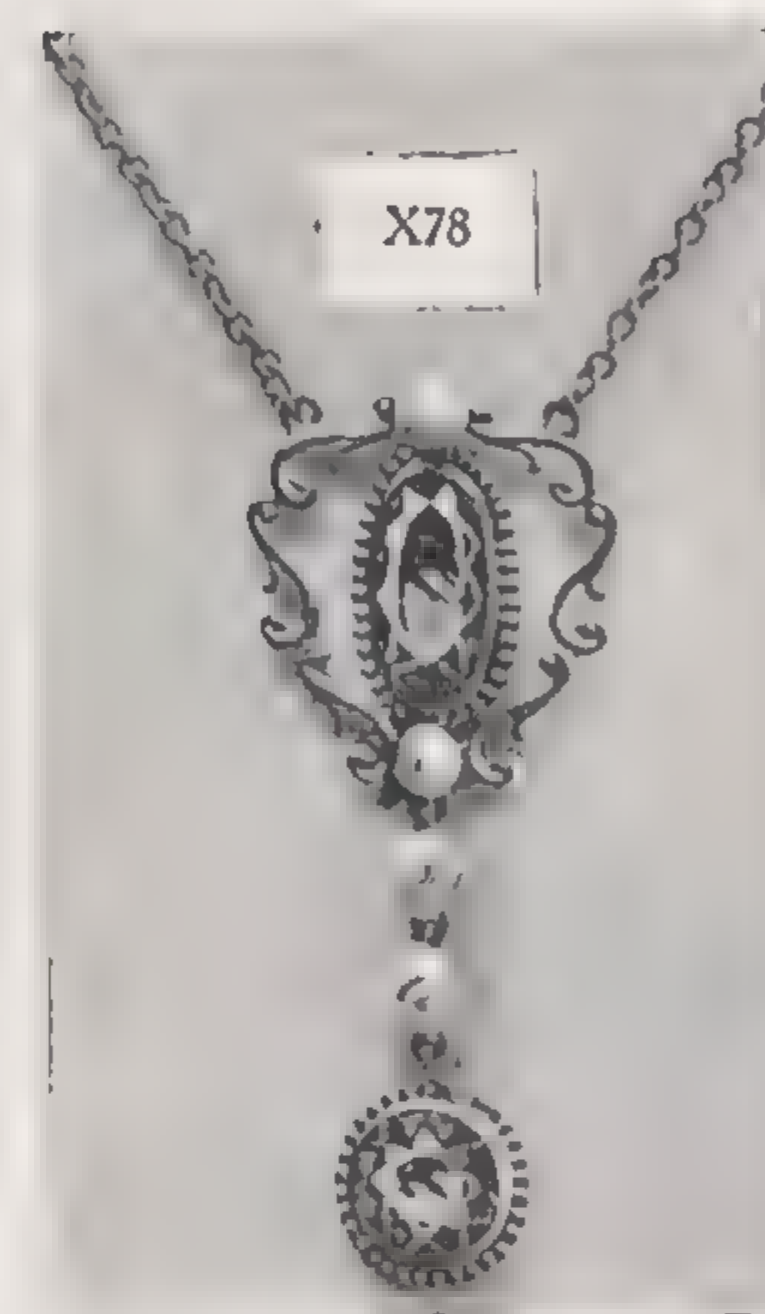
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RUSSIAN COTTAGE ARTS

IN certain parts of Russia, labor in the open air lasts but five months; the remainder of the year the peasants are shut in by five feet of snow. Sometimes fifty miles of it lie between them and the nearest village. In order to make a bare living, they have to put this enforced confinement to advantage, and it is then that they make the unique toys, the original designs in laces and embroideries, the skilful wood carvings, and the silverware that are slowly finding their way into the markets of the New World.

The Russian worker gives untiring mental and physical energy to the creation of one piece of work, and is in many cases so thoroughly artistic that he will not make an exact duplicate, even when, as often happens, he is the only one with the skill to do it. So the long winter continues like a journey; each piece of handiwork expressive of the artisan's individuality is a mile-post that helps to mark the passing of the days. Then off to the mart they go—the carved horses and carts, the funny human figures, the exquisite coverings for beds and tables, and the homespun materials and pillow-laces. Until recent years these treasures were kept in Russia, and this has, without doubt, held so high the Russian ideal of originality.

COLORFUL EMBROIDERIES

An interesting point about Russian embroidery is that it is not done by means of stamping or tracing, but by counting the threads, and, like Japanese embroidery, seldom has a wrong side. Luncheon sets are made of white linen embroidered with white or with red or blue thread, but the most popular sets are those made of sheer, loosely-woven linen in two contrasting, delicate shades; for instance, natural color and blue linen are joined by harmonizing threads in a stitch resembling solid rickrack.



Quaint pinafores of loosely-woven linen in contrasting shades

The Unique Crafts at Which the Russian Peasants Busy Themselves During the Severe Winter Months



The silk and linen laces are woven sometimes in all-white, sometimes in colors, but always in designs that are original with the Russian peasant

Of this same linen are made quaint little pinafores for girl toddlers. A little tow-head looks wonderfully sweet and picturesque in such a one as is illustrated in the lower, left-hand corner. It is said in one of the Russian stores in this city that fashionable New York mothers have tired of Parisian furbelows for their children and are now exhausting the supply of these little over-dresses. The chief beauty of them, to a practical mind, is that they will stand hard wear, for they are sheer but firm, with colors that are soft yet so fast that they may be safely boiled.

A DEPOT FOR COTTAGE HANDICRAFT

To Madame Pogosky, who, under the patronage of Princess Schahovskoy, Lady-in-Waiting to the Dowager Empress of Russia, first opened a depot for cottage handicraft in this country, should be given much of the credit for the advance in these arts. She was an artist herself, and with her daughter spent many years in adapting antique designs to modern materials, as well as in developing new designs for laces, and in experimenting to perfect the coloring of linens, laces, embroideries, and hand-woven rag rugs.

There will be found, sold by the yard, linens of different weights and weaves, linen and silk laces of all colors, banding

of open-work embroidery on colored linens, heavy, soft linens, just wide enough for curtaining in dark or light colors, and either plain or with stamped clusters or figures—all these and many more examples of what clever fingers can do. Rag rugs, put together with a fine, durable thread, are sold by the yard, so that one may buy any length. The patterns bear a similarity to the Navajo, yet the colors are distinctly Russian.

From the orient comes a peculiar and interesting industry which has spread into several provinces of Russia. It is the making of a lovely embroidery of different colored leathers; the design suggests Tartar influence, but even the adaptations are expressive of that quaint and painstaking originality of the Russian peasant.

LOCAL SPECIALIZED INDUSTRIES

Specialization of this sort oftentimes engages entire communities of peasants. In Kabaski they make a silverware inlaid with black enamel that is imported by only one firm in the United States. In the Ural mountains every man and boy is a precious stone cutter, and the rough stones, sometimes of great value, are brought to market in baskets and sold much like eggs. Lacquer woodware, often ornamented in red, black, and gold, is used by a hundred million Russians every day, and its durability in the kitchen is proverbial. The wood carvers turn out solid boxes of varying sizes covered with intricate, lace-like carving, so complex that it often hides a secret slide which unlocks the box. Two examples of the work are pictured in the lower, right-hand corner. From Orenberg comes a swansdown knitted shawl of wondrous fineness and clinging warmth, a yard and a half square, and weighing less than three ounces.

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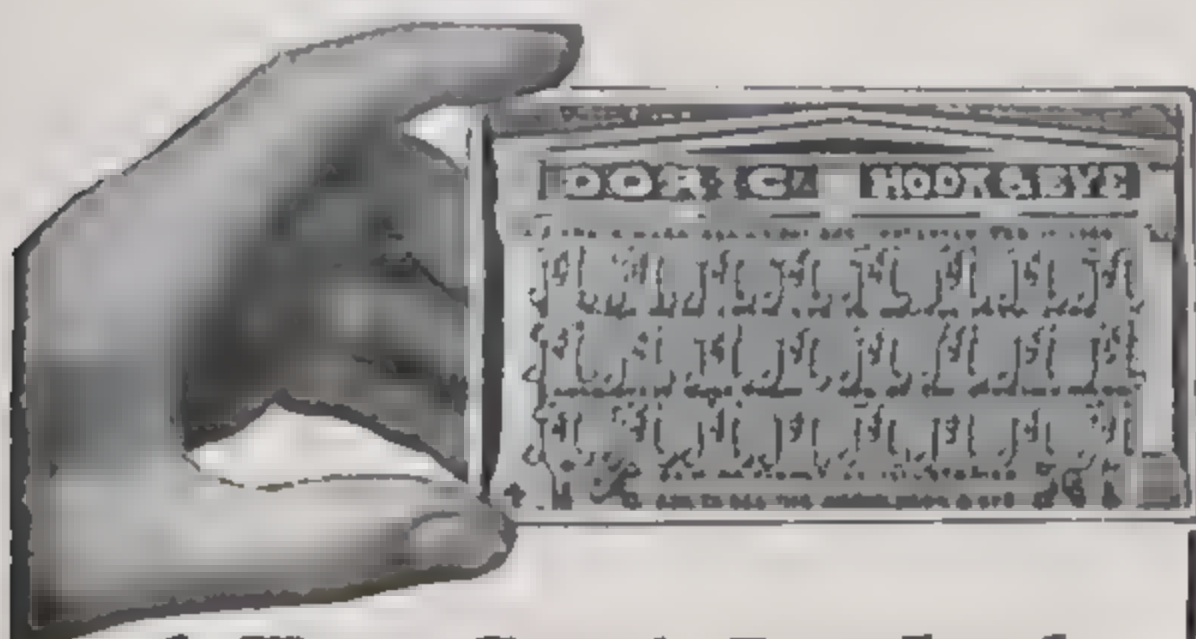
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MOTOR COMFORTS

Neater and more compact than the favorite English tea basket is the imported automobile luncheon set here illustrated. It comes in two sizes, for four or six persons, and is priced at \$22.50 and \$30 respectively. The smaller size case shown in the illustration has space for two, one-pint thermos bottles, two strong tin lunch boxes, a salt and pepper box, four hemstitched damask napkins, two blue and white agateware cups, four agate plates, and four each of nickel-plated spoons, knives, and forks. The larger set is identical save that quart instead of pint thermos bottles are provided, and there are utensils for six persons.

The large wind matches so necessary to the motorist are now put up in leather boxes in two sizes at \$1 and \$1.25 each. They may be had in either pigskin or brown cowhide, and are stoutly made, strapped across the top, and fastened on the front, below which is a square of emery paper for lighting.

IMPORTED HAND-BAGS

The autumn importation of purses and hand-bags of bright or dull finished pin seal are very smart. They are built on rather less generous lines than the bags of last year and are usually furnished with but one pocket, lined with any desired color of moire, and fitted with the inevitable coin purse. Such a bag of dull pin seal which sells for \$11.50 is noteworthy for its two straps, one sewed on the back through which the hand may be slipped, the other a leather cordelière which is fastened to the bag by gilt swivels and may be detached at will. The lining is red and the mountings, inside and out, are of gilt.

Another bag of bright

pin seal, priced at \$16, has this same leather cordelière and mountings of gun-metal and mother-of-pearl. Its single deep pocket, pointed at the lower edge, is lined with lavender moire, while an interesting feature is the jointed rim which, when the bag is open, forms an octagonal, stationary mouth—a great boon to the busy shopper.

Out of the ordinary are the bags with the hand-strap on the top. They are also made of bright pin seal and are mounted with sterling silver. The model illustrated on the extreme left of the group has, besides the central compartment fitted with a seal coin purse, an additional flat pocket, bound on its overlapping flap by a waving band of silver. Price, \$17. Another bag of similar design costs \$18. It is mounted with a straight band of engine-turned silver, and has a place on its button clasp large enough for a monogram.

A smart-looking, handleless bag is shown on the right of the group. It is generous in size, is made of the best patent leather, and opens like an accordion disclosing a clasped change compartment lined with suede and two outer pockets lined with red. A nickel button fastens the broad band of leather which passes over the top of the purse, and a thick, nickel bar finished by heavy knobs runs through the lower edge, which gives the bag a firm bottom and the owner a satisfying edge to clasp. This bag, in either black patent leather or pigskin, costs \$10.

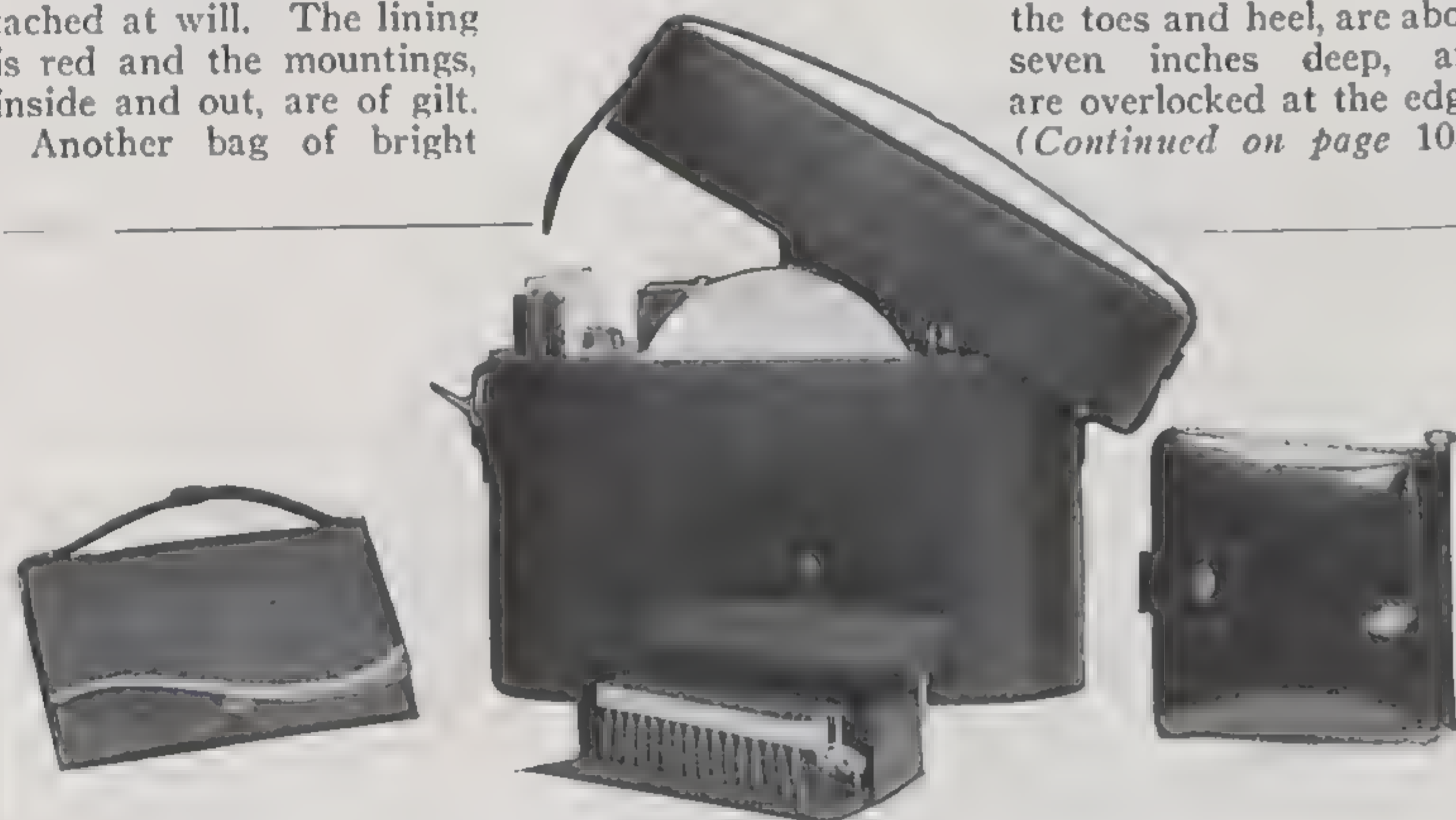
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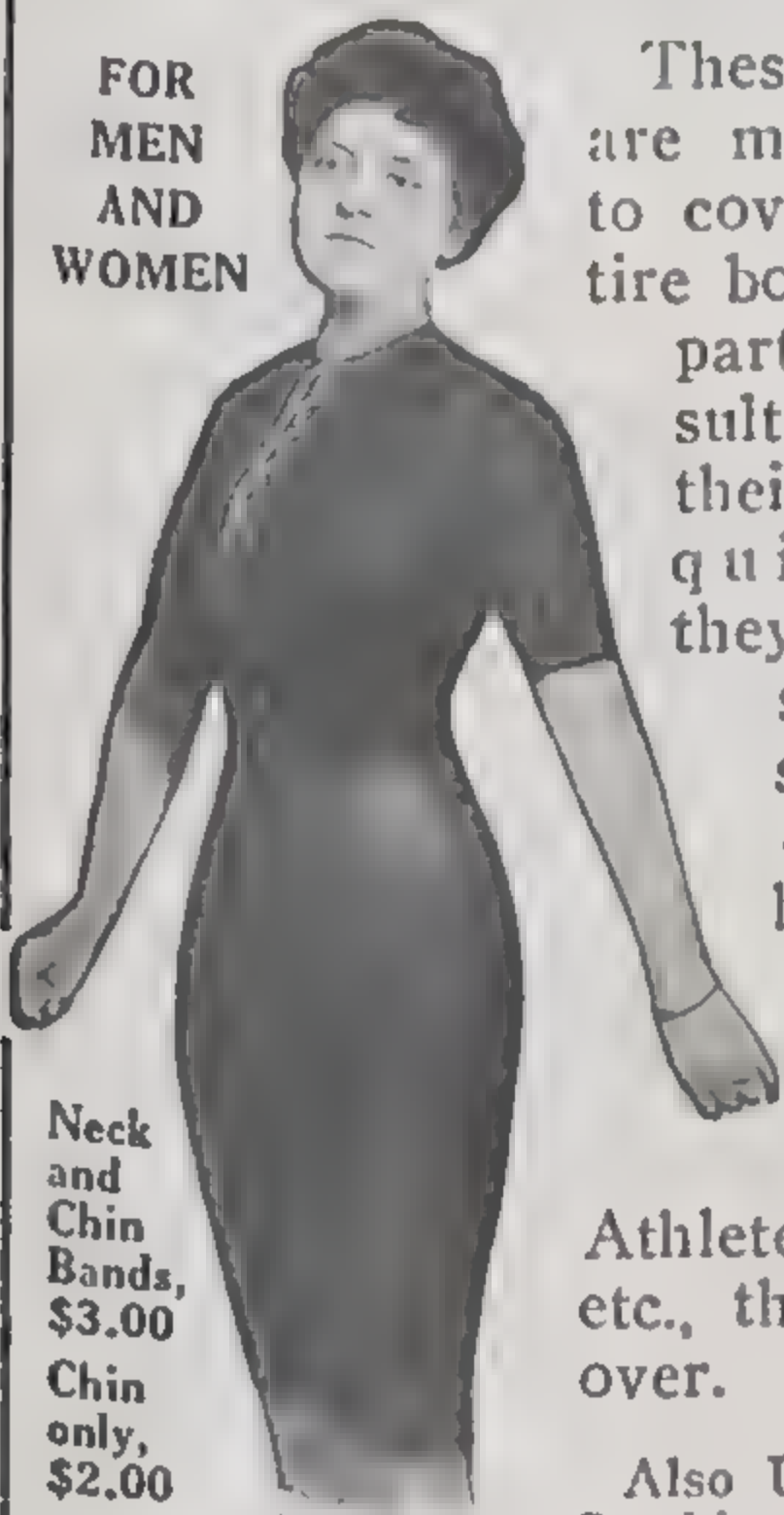
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HER PORTRAIT

How to Dress for the Camera—
The Color, Material, and Cut of
the Gown, and, Finally, the Pose

POSING for a portrait, if we accept the story told in art galleries and homes, is a natural human inclination. The painted portrait or the miniature is offered to comparatively few, but the photographic portrait is within the reach of everyone; that is, if we except those wonderfully beautiful compositions sent out by a few men and women who stand at the head of their profession and command large returns for their work.

To the artist with his sensitive brushes, his subtle colors, his centuries of tradition, and the theories of great masters upon which his art rests as on rock, there are few new difficulties to be met in developing a portrait. He dictates the accessories, the gown, the color scheme, the mood upon which he builds his presentment of personality. But the photographic portraitist meets many complexities. Photography is scarce half a century old, and if the artists mean to be individual and distinctive they must be their own investigators, their own instructors, and, after they have mastered the rudimentary principles of their art, their own inventors even. They cannot cover up weaknesses in drawing by superb color effects, nor make up the deficiencies of the foreground figures by depicting a striking background. The camera is pitiless in showing up bad lines, poorly developed tones and shades of light, a badly posed figure. The one absolute principle upon which these artists can lean is that inspiring epigram of Monet's that the only person to be considered in a picture is light.

To this, however, they are apt to add line. The lines as well as the scale of tones must be good, and this latter must be as reliable as that of the musician, for unless the artist understands gradations of light as revealed in the camera and can do the utmost with them, unless he can grasp the key, the *motif* of each picture he makes, and that which determines whether the light or dark tones shall dominate, he will never get beyond taking a mere commonplace portrait.

CHOOSING THE PHOTOGRAPHER

Photographic portraiture demands the keenest artistic perception and an almost instantaneous recognition of good and bad points in a subject—in fact, an instinct for the art. The portraitist must grasp what will best reveal his subject, the best position before the camera, the best effects of light, what must be accented in feature and pose, and what must be kept in abeyance.

It is in these points that women portraitists seem to excel, and that is why the profession seems a natural one for them. Not only do women understand all the subtleties and susceptibilities of feminine attire (there are always twice as many women as men who offer themselves as patrons), but most women are natural students of character and understand how to bring it out with the camera; they have intuition, and like

the camera, jump at quick conclusions. One of the most eminent of feminine photographers declares that to be successful in the profession one must have had artistic training.

"Consulting my preferences, I chose a scientific course at college, but turned afterward to the art school, intending to devote myself to painting and illustration. But soon photography attracted me. I took it up as a pastime, and before I knew it, I had made it my profession, and my training, though taken without any such intent, proved of inestimable value to me. I should always advise it for an aspirant, for I have always done all of my own work—posing, developing, printing, studying every fascinating detail as it grows under the chemicals. It is here that my scientific knowledge has been of great benefit to me. It has often enabled me to do much with a poor plate, one that I might have thrown away had I not wanted to try effects. Some of my best portraits have resulted from just this persistent study and effort to secure all that the camera could give me. It is in this way that the photographic portraitist becomes an inventor and establishes individual distinction. Every portrait offers something new, each patron is an individual problem, for the human face is infinitely varied, and infinitely complex in that inner being which we must always strive to catch and reveal."

HOW TO DRESS FOR THE CAMERA

As to dress, all artists demand simplicity—always simplicity, in order that the face may be the theme of the picture, with dress merely the accessory, an assistant in the revelation, yet none the less chosen with great care.

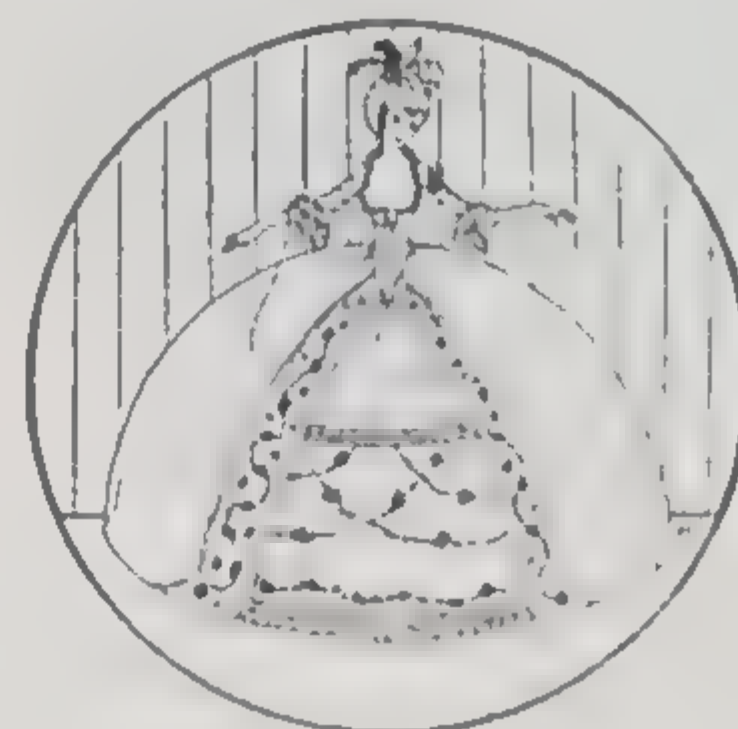
A transparent, filmy gown not overloaded with trimming, is always effective. Yet care must be taken that there shall be something to provide the high lights. This is best done with crystal trimming, or it can be done with satin accessories or silk embroidery, but not with lace, which is of the nature of the transparent material. The ordinary lingerie gown is not good for the reason that the trimmings are apt to be confusing.

If a colored gown is chosen, it is best to have it a monotone, for color contrasts nearly always jar. They are apt to prove hard, to make shadows where none should be, and to interfere with the soft melting of tones which yields an harmonious effect. In the monotone gown there are many lights and shadows all of one tone which the camera will take care of and use with good effect. Black and white, unless it is in a gown of artistic conception, is extremely hard to deal with.

WHEN TO WEAR BLACK

Black satin and black velvet, because of the play of light and shade on their surfaces, are wonderfully good in camera production. Young girls, however, should never choose them; indeed, a young girl should never select black of

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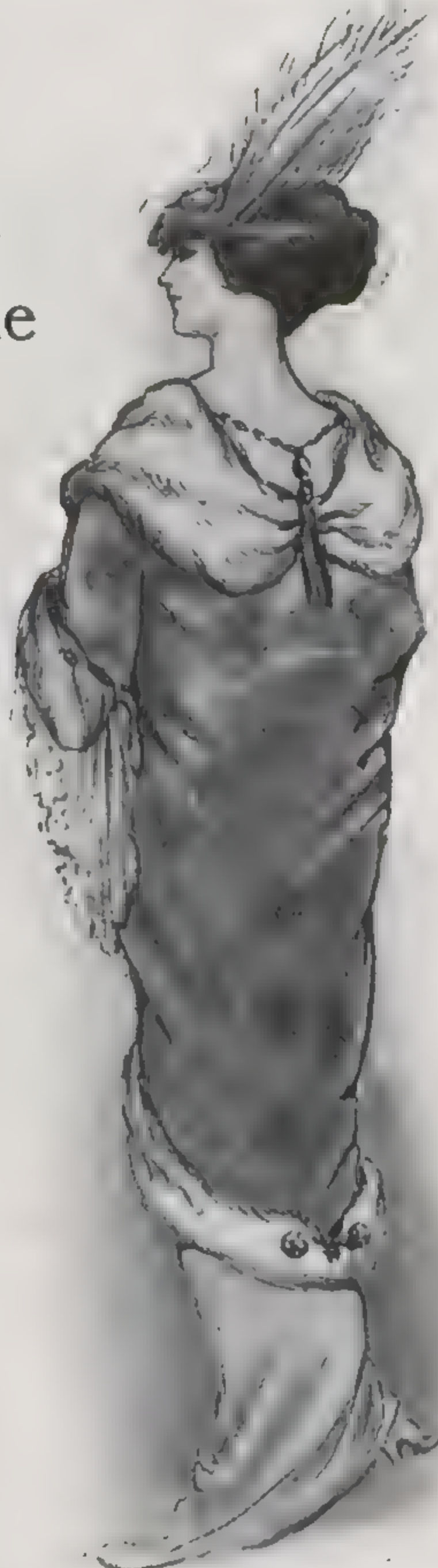
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WHAT THEY READ

A PRELUDE TO ADVENTURE, by HUGH WALPOLE, is a marked advance upon his very able story, "The Gods and Mr. Perrin." As in that story, so in this, Mr. Walpole deals with school life; in this case, however, not with the teachers of a preparatory school, but with the undergraduates of a college at Cambridge. Again the local color is laid on with delicate and effective discrimination, and again the reader is mainly preoccupied with the movements of a single character's mind. This time the character is not a potential criminal, but an actual criminal. The story opens with a homicide, the killing, without witnesses,

of one undergraduate by another after a quarrel that had its partial justification in the shameful deeds and character of the victims. It is not exactly remorse that seizes the slayer, nor is it the fear of punishment at human hands, but the sudden, acute sense of God's existence and presence, and more dimly, of the certainty that the guilty one must in some fashion pay the penalty of his deed. From this beginning there follows the keenest and most absorbing analysis of the slayer's thoughts and feelings. He is suspected by one man, with whose sister he falls in love, and he confesses to another, the least promising depository of such a secret. Out of this situation grows the whole book, and the somber character of the tale is lightened by the scenes and characters of undergraduate life vividly and charmingly set forth. The story closes with the renewal of the promise, implied in the title, of a sequel to be found in another book, perhaps in more than one. "A Prelude to Adventure" is surely one of the most brilliant novels of the year, in its psychology approaching Conrad's powerful study embodied in his recent story of Russian revolutionaries. Every intelli-

gently critical reader will impatiently wish Mr. Walpole godspeed with his sequel. (New York: The Century Co. \$1.20 net.)

THE INHERITANCE, by JOSEPHINE DASKAM BACON, departs markedly from the author's accustomed style of fiction. It is, in fact, an autobiographic story of the conventional kind, purporting to date back to the Civil War period, and involving a mystery that is not solved until near the end of the story. Mrs. Bacon courageously deserts for a time her familiar American scenes to deal with low life in London. Afterwards the scene shifts to the United States and the Bermudas. The mystery seems hardly worth while, and the story is over long, but the girl Chrissy is uncommonly well done, and the love-making of the autobiographic hero is cleverly contrived. Something of the author's accustomed lightness of touch seems to have been lost, possibly because she thought it unsuited to the subject, but her style, as usual, has an agreeable distinction. (New York: D. Appleton & Co. \$1.30 net.)

BELLA, by EDWARD CHARLES BOOTH, resembles that writer's more than brilliant novel, "The Doctor's Lass," in that the title rôle is taken by a young girl. "The Doctor's Lass," however, is a more considerable story than this new one, though it would be unjust to Mr. Booth to say that "Bella" shows any diminution of his powers. Indeed, the story may be said to reveal new phases of his unusual gifts as a novelist. He has undertaken in "Bella" a most difficult task, that of making a child his most important creation, and in competition with a young, lovely, and charming mother. To have come triumph-

antly out of such an undertaking argues unusual powers, and while "Bella" is far from being flawless, it must be cordially admitted that Mr. Booth has triumphed in his main essay. The child, Bella, a girl of thirteen, is a perfectly delicious creature, not overdrawn at a single point, clever without priggishness, forward in a good sense without being over mature for her thirteen years, open, sensitive, humorous, innocent as an infant, unsuspicious, sweet, kind, and charmingly piquant. In spite of all this, it must be premised that "Bella" is a book for grown folk only. Side by side with the little girl is her



mother, a most difficult creation, a woman of rare physical and intellectual charm, portrayed with a realism that makes one feel her presence as a living thing. It would be unjust to the reader to indicate all that the lady is. Perhaps it is hardly just to say that the scenes of temptation through which

the young poet of the tale is carried are done with the highest taste, and with a delicacy that should put to blush some young lady novelists of the fleshly school. Most readers will agree that the poet is done with somewhat less success than Bella and her mother. The minor characters are slightly but sufficiently sketched. It is a pity that the effect of so able a book should be somewhat marred by inadequate and disturbing illustrations. (New York: D. Appleton. \$1.30 net.)

WHERE THERE'S A WILL, by MARY ROBERTS RHINEHART, is almost an extravaganza, the autobiographic narrative of the girl who manages the spring house at a fake water cure. The narrator's own share in the proceedings is mainly that of "chorus." Everybody comes to her with their troubles, and she tells of all this, with epigrammatic comment. The humor of the tale is excellent, whether conveyed in phrase or embodied in situation or incident, and the whole thing goes along with lively dialogue, and not too much descriptive matter. For its true heroine, the tale has the daughter of an American millionaire betrothed to an Austrian prince of the imperial house, and the prince himself actually appears upon the scene. The fiancée is a lovable and natural American girl, while the prince does not make too great demands upon credulity. It was probably the author's intent that nobody should take too seriously the passion of her extremely entertaining story. Mr. F. Van Wilson's illustrations are masterly. (Indianapolis: The Bobbs-Merrill Co. \$1.30 net.)

THE BLACK PEARL, by MRS. WILSON WOODROW, is a frank attempt upon the part of a very clever writer to respond to the apparently inexhaustible demand for sensational tales of western life. The scene is laid in the desert region on the edge of the Rockies, and Mrs. Woodrow has managed with considerable skill to import into her story the physical atmosphere of the country. Her heroine is a lovely professional dancer with the feminine gift of fascinating men, and a rather surprisingly high sense of propriety, while the other characters, men and women, include a great variety of far western folk all done in heightened colors, as if the story had been written for the melodramatic stage. There is undeniable power in the book, and no little charm, but it is by no means up to the author's best. (New York: D. Appleton. \$1.30 net.)

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THE COURT OF ST. SIMON, by ANTHONY PARTRIDGE, is a lurid romance of the Parisian underworld, in which the author, having absolved himself from the bonds of probability, takes the reader on a wild chase among thieves, thugs, disguised gentlemen, and vicious members of the bourgeoisie. Those who find that ordinary romances of adventure pall upon their jaded palates may welcome the tobasco sauce of this story. (Boston: Little, Brown & Co. \$1.25 net.)

IN THE DARK, by DONALD RICHBERG, whose romance, "The Shadow Man," had a rather marked success, suggests a somewhat hasty performance designed to follow up what the earlier book won. The exigencies of the plot furnish an excuse for taking the reader through the underworld of Chicago, and the desired dénouement is worked out by the conventional resort to a family likeness between sisters. This time Mr. Richberg has been mercifully short, for "In the Dark" is scarcely more than a novelette in bulk. (Chicago: Forbes & Co. \$1.25.)

A MAN'S WORLD, by ALBERT EDWARDS, takes the autobiographic form, and, as the author protests, is not a genuine novel, but rather a wandering chronicle of extremely realistic character. It opens with an account of the narrator's boyhood in a family of Tennesseeans belonging to the strictest sect of Cumberland Presbyterians. From the west the author takes us to New York, and there he makes acquaintance with the underworld, and especially of those whom crime or misfortune brings to the Tombs Prison, and of those whom prosperous roguery has placed in power. He keeps bachelor's hall with a friend, and the latter is finally led into a relation that develops into marriage. In this episode Mr. Edwards takes a deeper plunge into the underworld than at any other point, though he emerges triumphant, and displays the idealistic union of his friend with the hapless victim of the "cadet" system. Not even the narrator's own love affairs, which are unconventional and impressive, approach this episode in interest. All through the tale is one of plainest speech. As a whole, the book may be said to be a record of the author's personal feeling toward the experiences of life and its problems. As such it has not only an amazing interest, but a high significance. (New York: The Macmillan Co. \$1.50.)

HERITAGE, by VALENTINA HAWTREY, is almost long enough for the traditional three volume novel. Curiously enough, it both opens and closes with a death. In the nearly 400 closely printed pages between these two incidents is told the tale of a rather fantastic woman hater, his altogether fantastic marriage, and his no less fantastic disinheriting of his son. Incidents are few, and the humor is quiet. Its chief merit lies in the delineation of a few unusual characters. (New York: Duffield & Co. \$1.30 net.)

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DANCING, ANCIENT AND MODERN, by ETHEL L. URLIN, undertakes a summary treatment of a great subject, one, indeed, that would require a dozen such volumes as it is for adequately detailed discussion. Those, however, who would acquire a general knowledge of the subject without too much labor will find Miss Umlin's book admirably fitted to their needs. She discusses primitive dances, such as those of savages in many lands, dancing in Ancient Egypt, Ancient Greece, Ancient Rome, and among the Hebrews of Biblical times, medieval sacred dances, the national dances of many modern European countries, oriental and military dances, the ballet, and the modern revival of ancient dances on the stage. The text is written simply, clearly, without padding, and without any attempt to be picturesque or eloquent. Excellent illustrations, chiefly from paintings, really illuminate the discussion. (D. Appleton & Co. \$1.50 net.)





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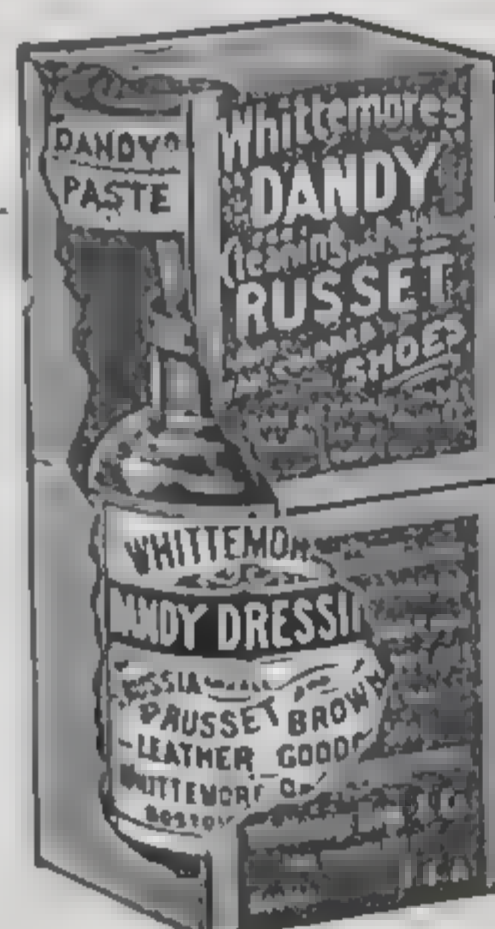
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proprietors are ardent collectors themselves. Even if they are not, they can rarely be persuaded to part from household heirlooms. Either they value them sentimentally, or they consider them an asset for drawing trade. Besides, their value is so well known that there is little hope of picking up genuine bargains.

But Elizabeth prowled the attics of little inns between lines of ghostly, flapping linen (for the French housewife reverses the process, washing her clothes out-of-doors and drying them in the attic), and finally did discover some pieces of old French faience. To the great annoyance of the chefs, she haunted their kitchens for the brass candlesticks that always stand in shining rows on the hooded chimneys. The candlestick fad is a simple and charming form of collecting, and is to be highly recommended, as the products take up less room in a friend's motor car than most other things.

DAMAGED GODDESSES

Then we wandered down into Sicily and Elizabeth straightway developed a craze for the tiny Greek and Roman figurines, the collecting of which is one of the chief amusements of this land. And truly nothing could be more attractive than the dainty little terra-cotta statuettes that are here unearthed by the spadeful. Mostly they are miniature goddesses once used for votive offerings in Greek temples.

At Gigenti Elizabeth had a string of fossickers, poor Sicilian workmen who excavate patiently for these ancient Greek fragments, always hanging about the hotel. Their terra-cottas were usually damaged, for it seems that in the olden times, when the temples became lumbered with these bits of pottery, the priests swept them into the dust heap, first breaking them up, that mortals might not possess what once belonged to the gods. Little recked they of American Elizabeths!

We used to gather under the pergola in the shade of the myrtle trees, and bargain by the hour, but bargain as with gentlemen, for these Sicilian excavators, though they looked much like brigands,



*Our hostess showed us her
Old Provençal bread manger
and panetière*

were scholars who, when it came to expounding their country's past, would shine by the side of learned archeologists.

But this bargaining was the least of it. To complete the purchase, it was required that the terra-cottas be shown to the director of the local museum, who, if he considered that they could be spared from the country, stamped them with a seal. If this formality was omitted, both money and antique would be forfeited. So there was more than the usual excitement

attendant on the hazardous sport of collecting Sicilian terra-cottas.

THOSE SO HONEST SEEMING DUTCH MAIDENS

The Italian Government, too, makes things interesting for collectors by seeing that valuable antiques are not carried out of the country. Which reminds me of an English girl whom I first met in Holland collecting old silver for a "silver table," an English drawing-room fad. Two charming little Dutch girls, who lived in a quaint farmhouse made beautiful with old Delft tiles and brasses, had sold her many pieces of old Dutch silver, and parted with it reluctantly, for they were all family relics. Even when they were proved to be excellent imitations of old models, Elizabeth could hardly bring herself to doubt these Dutch maidens' honesty.

Later when I met her in a Tuscan hill town, she had just been beguiled by a local dealer into buying a collection of jewels—heirlooms of a nobleman, she was told, who must part with them to provide a dot for a daughter of the house. The price was as exalted as the princely family, a picture of whose crumbling palace she was shown, but her sympathies alone would have induced her to buy. It was intimated that so great was their value that the utmost secrecy must be preserved lest the Government intervene. The English maiden shivered at the sight of an Italian policeman and his silver-mounted cane. She ended by not only purchasing the jewels at the first price named, but by giving the man a bonus of fifty lire for his trouble! Oh, kind-hearted Elizabeth!

At Florence, a few weeks later, she was tempted in a moment of pride to boast of her "find" to a leading firm of dealers in antiques, and showed as an example, a handsome chatelaine she was wearing.

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But even thus expensively the amateur does not learn very quickly. When we parted, my English friend was interested in the silver rings the peasants wear, and was on a hunt for the quaint betrothal rings of the German peasant women.

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It was Catherine who introduced me to the possibilities of *Marchés du Chi-fous*—the Rag Markets, for the amateur collector. There are celebrated ones in the great cities, the "Temple" in Paris, the "Caledonia" Market of the London East Side, and the mysteriously gathered wreckage of the Market of Madrid. The open-air market of every European village has an end devoted to all sorts of junk, refuse most of it, but occasionally things suspiciously good. Where does it come from? It is not well to ask, if one is a buyer. Peddlers go about buying up rubbish for a few pence, to sell at the "Rag Markets" for an infinitesimal profit. Ragmen sorting out the refuse of ash barrels come across real finds, valuables thrown out by careless housemaids. Rumor has it that much of the stolen plunder of the great cities find its way to the "Rag Market."

THE GENTLE VENETIANS

It was in the Rag Markets that Catherine found most of her beads. She had a mania for matching up strings of beads, stones of value or china beads, ferreting them out from among old buttons, rusty nails, and broken crockery, one or two at a time. For a minor collector beads are a singularly interesting hobby, especially now that they are so much in demand as ornaments. Catherine carried me off to Venice once on a quest for old Venetian beads, very different from the gaudy glass things sold to the tourist. We paddled around through backwater canals to queer and picturesque places, where wild-eyed boys greeted us by throwing stones at our gondola in the pleasant fashion of the untamed Venetian child. Here Catherine gathered in some rare old faience bead necklaces from their black-shawled mothers.

After which we went on to Egypt in search of ancient Egyptian beads, and gathered quite a collection, I heard later, from the vendors of mummies and Pharaoh relics along the banks of the Nile.

DESPOILING A WIFE OF HER JEWELS

I stopped at Naples, where I made the acquaintance of American Ann, who, having been many times fooled with some deceptive celluloid stuff by deceitful traders, was on the point of giving up her search for old pink Neapolitan coral.

Nowadays one must go to the desert for real coral, I told her, and took her over to Algeria with us. Arab ornaments studded with rare old coral are marvelous, and not easy to find even in the Sahara, for the natives are learning that they are in great demand. The trail of the collector can be traced far over the sands of the desert. We did not stop to seek until that gateway to the Garden of Allah, El Kantara, and its three Arab villages, buried in an oasis of palm trees, shone out before us. Armed with a letter from a French official to a caid of one of the villages, we were welcomed, and the way to acquire the coveted antique, Arabian jewelry was made easy.

We were directed to the house of a friend of the caid, a windowless building of red adobe, utterly without furniture; so we sat as gracefully as might be on floor mats. Coffee was brought from the Arab café in the village, and a

little metal coffee pot and tiny cup were set before each person, for hospitality is the first step in a sale, and likewise a guarantee of eternal friendship when partaken in the family circle.

When we asked to see the ornaments, the wife stood up. From ears to toes she was hung with clanking silver jewelry. The Arab woman is the family bank, and carries always on her person the fortunes of the house. The silver coins are made into fantastic ornaments, but the gold coins, considered sufficiently beautiful in their natural state, are unchanged. She must get her reward in being so adorned, for she has no voice in the disposal of her ornaments. At a sign from her husband, our hostess began pulling off her jewels. Silver rings, bracelets, shoulder clasps that make lovely buckles, and two great, circular pins, a foot across, with coral tags, just the thing for an opera cloak.

HOSPITABLE PROVENÇALS

Perhaps the warmest reception a pair of amateur collectors ever received was that accorded Marian and me down in old Provence. Marian was specializing in old French country furniture, and wanted a set of quaint furnishings from a Provençal *salle à manger*.

We gave Avignon, the center for real and fake Provençal furniture, a wide berth, and went on to a little hotel in the heart of Old Provence, where we enlisted the interest of the proprietors in our search. Madame took several days to think over the situation (expensive days for us), and then remembered a cousin who might be persuaded to part with some heirlooms. A vicious little half-breed Arabian pony was put in a sort of cart, and by fitful spurts we made our way across the wild expanse of marsh, and pebble-strewn country about the mouth of the Rhone to a "Mas," a lonely farmhouse set in a vineyard. Here we found the proper Provençal combination—panetière of delicately turned spindles and chased steel, a "bread table," shaped like a manger, in which the loaves were made, a massive table, and an *escritoire* easily convertible into a china closet.

We were entertained as honored guests with an excellent dinner and rare wine. We realized that here we could not bargain vulgarly. Diplomacy of the most delicate order must be used. It seemed impossible even to broach so sordid a subject.

Night drew in, and the *pourparlers* were just beginning. Hospitably we were made to stay the night. The morrow was a fête day, so of course there could be no business. Local sports and amusements were held for our benefit, and we were taken around to neighboring farms where attentions were showered upon us.

"Unless we want to spend the summer in this delightful fashion we must push matters to a close," said Marian, but it was three days and nights before we could tear ourselves away with our spoils—the furniture and some old lamps of Roman pattern. And the price? Almost any amount, you must admit, Ann kept insisting to me, would have been cheap for the unique experience. True, it was a little more than we might have had to pay even at Avignon, and I rather fancy that Madame got her little commission, even if it was all in the family.

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THE traveler with esthetic tastes who visits Paris may not know or realize that there are other places to look for objects of art than the small shops of the rue de Rivoli. This famous arcade displays for sale a prodigious amount of cheap but amazingly good jewelry, gaudy post-cards, photographs of the monuments of Paris and its famous pictures, and souvenirs in every conceivable material from lace to marble. The tastes of transient buyers are catered to in many obvious ways. There are two English book shops where the latest "best sellers" may be bought, and all the current magazines. There are tea rooms subsisting entirely on English and American trade; there are even haberdasheries which brazenly offer for sale celluloid collars under the misleading caption, "*Faux Cols Américains*."

Here and there, tucked in among the gaudier show places, will be a small shop devoted entirely to works of art, such works of art as most Americans see only in exhibitions in their own country. These objects of art are the creations of the industrious modern crafts workers of France, the men and women who are maintaining the traditions of that artistic land, and who, like the great Michael Angelo, are not ashamed to design buttons. These objects are offered for sale at prices which astonish the American, accustomed to the inflated values put on the craftsman's products at home. One small shop displays all sorts of things in that rough pottery known to modern France as *grès*. This homely material has been experimented with until it has become available for artistic uses. It is made into lovely vases, every sort and variety of tiles, into articles for household use, such as desk-sets, and even into personal adornments. Butterfly and dragonfly hatpins made of *grès* had recently a season's popularity in Paris.

SELF-ADVERTISING ART

It is surprises like this *grès* shop in the most commercial quarter of this most commercial city that set the traveler to wondering where else the artists of Paris sell their wares—for sell them they surely must in order to live and to produce as they do. Without guidance it would be quite possible to miss some of the artistic clearing-houses of the French capital.

Two of them are in the old Latin Quarter, one on the gay "Boul' Mich'" itself. This latter, it must be confessed, makes a palpable attempt to be "in the picture" by displaying small statuettes of the little Parisian models in postures intended to express their naughtiness, and posters and prints of a like suggestiveness. The works are never poorly executed, however; they are clearly the outcome of a somewhat perverted talent—a talent which must live and which employs this frivolous means of commanding public attention. Paris is full of talent, and an artist must sometimes be either noisy like the Matissites, or a bit vulgar like the clever draughtsmen who contribute to the annual *Salon des Humoristes*, in order to attract attention to his particular attainments. The art shop of the Boulevard St. Michel uses its *risqué* wares only by way of advertisement, one may

say, for its stock contains marbles and bronzes of great excellence, artistic bits of pottery, beautiful jewelry, sketches in oil and water color, and all the things which an art shop should display.

THE "BON HOMMES" OF "BOUL' MICH'"

This house has made a specialty lately of those grotesque little "*bons hommes*" in wood and plaster over which Paris has gone mad. They are usually caricatures of public personages of a most daring sort, even royalty is not spared, and one can buy, if he is so minded, a grinning manikin with a protruding chin and attired in shooting costume, that is a clever and unmistakable likeness of Alfonso XIII. France's own President, rotund and besashed, in ill-fitting evening clothes, is also of this group, and the idle sight-seer is invited to stop and smile with the light-hearted Parisians themselves at the personal peculiarities of these heads of the nations.

Last winter, a particularly clever caricaturist conceived the idea of representing in miniature a boulevard scene. He chose a section of the Champs Elysées, and peopled it with exaggerated French types. The little wooden men were all likenesses, and they represented a group of persons familiar to all Paris. This happy inspiration had a tremendous success.

THE GEM OF LITTLE DISPLAY ROOMS

Around the corner from the Boulevard St. Michel, on the sedate and scholarly rue de Ecoles, and directly opposite the Sorbonne, is another small art shop of a less frivolous character. It is really the choicest of all the little display rooms in Paris, and it is known as the Parthenon. This shop is conducted by a sort of co-operative society of artists, and it is possible to buy here genuine artistic treasures. It is safe to say that not a poor thing is to be seen in it. Not even the cheapest of its hatpins is of questionable design. It is one of the most satisfactory places to buy Parisian souvenirs, because its stock is exclusive, and almost nothing that is sold there can be duplicated elsewhere in Paris. Yet its prices are not high. A collection of bronze reliefs by the late Alexandre Charpentier, including many of those exhibited at the Luxembourg gallery, is to be found here. That charming little plaque of the heads of the artist's two sons sells for twenty francs.

The two show-rooms of this shop present a delightful confusion of artistic objects, useful and purely ornamental. The Parisian crafts workers have had a fondness recently for pewter, and many beautiful things have been made in this old-fashioned metal. At the shop of the rue des Ecoles the possibilities of pewter as a decorative medium are demonstrated, for there are pewter boxes, desk-sets, vases, candelabra, and an amazing variety of other pewter articles.

The prints in this collection are of the choicest, and even an original Rodin sketch may be bought for a not-too-exorbitant price.

IN THE AMERICAN QUARTER

It would naturally be expected that the Latin quarter would contain art shops, and indeed there are several in that district bounding the Montparnasse

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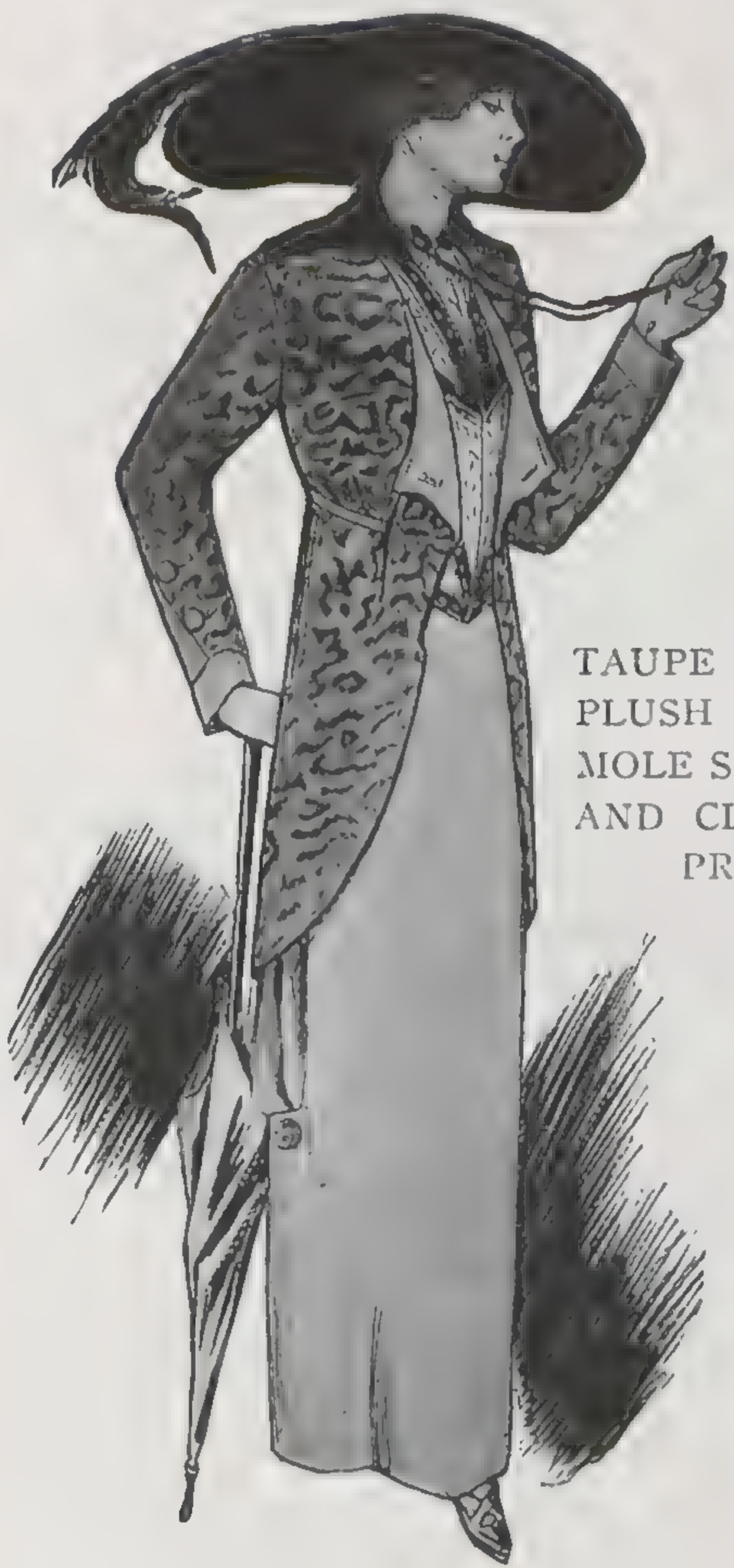
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Gardner.—On September 10th, at North-east Harbor, Me., James Terry Gardner, husband of the late Elizabeth Greene Doane Gardner.

Penfold.—On September 18th, at his late residence, 10 East Fortieth Street, William Hall Penfold.

CHICAGO

Dawes.—Suddenly on September 5th, at Lake Geneva, Rufus Fearing Dawes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Dawes.

MINNEAPOLIS

Donaldson.—On September 6th, in Venice, Italy, Mary Donaldson, daughter of the late William S. Donaldson.

WASHINGTON

Matthews.—On September 19th, at Mt. Kisco, N. Y., Mary Kellogg Matthews, widow of Associate Justice Matthews, of the United States Supreme Court.

Engaged

NEW YORK

Jones-Pope.—Miss Sadie Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pembroke Jones, to Mr. John Russell Pope.

BALTIMORE

Smith-Hoff.—Miss Fannie Winchester Smith, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Nathan Ryno Smith, to Mr. Charles Goldsborough Hoff, of Sherwood, Md.

BOSTON

Chandler-Winlock.—Miss Helen Chandler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Ward Chandler, to Mr. Herbert Eustis Winlock.

Fitch-Fairchild.—Miss Helen Fitch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra C. Fitch, to Mr. Julian P. Fairchild.

Long-Nash.—Miss Susan Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vinton Long, to Mr. Chauncey Cushing Nash.

MINNEAPOLIS

Lamb-Brooks.—Miss Louise B. Lamb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey R. Lamb, to Mr. Springer H. Brooks, of Chicago.

Weddings

NEW YORK

Black-Cluett.—On October 1st, at the home of the bride, Mr. R. Clifford Black, of Pelham Manor, N. Y., and Miss Beatrice Cluett, daughter of Mrs. George Bywater Cluett, of Troy, N. Y.

Macy-Dick.—On October 3rd, at Allen Winden, country home of the bride's parents, at Islip, L. I., Mr. William Kingsland Macy, son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Macy, and Miss Julia A. Dick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Dick.

Townsend-Nicholas.—On October 8th, Mr. Edward Nicoll Townsend, Jr., and Miss Beatrice Nicholas, daughter of the late Harry I. Nicholas, of Babylon, L. I., and New York.

BALTIMORE

Stapler-Ramsay.—On September 21st, Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, Lieutenant John Stapler, U. S. N., and Miss Margaret Key Ramsay, daughter of Captain and Mrs. Henry Ashton Ramsay.

BOSTON

Binney-Appleton.—On September 13th, Dr. George Hayward Binney, Jr., and Miss Susan Appleton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. William Appleton.

Hubbard-Briggs.—On October 12th, Church of the Redeemer, Chestnut Hill, Mr. Charles Wells Hubbard, Jr., and Miss Dorothy Briggs, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Edward C. Briggs.

CLEVELAND

Forbes-Wallace.—On September 14th, Mr. William Forbes and Miss Lydia Wallace, daughter of Mrs. James C. Wallace.

CLEVELAND

Richardson-Comey.—On October 5th, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. Raymond Beatty Richardson and Miss Clara Comey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Comey.

NEW ORLEANS

Dessommes-Bermudez.—On October 3rd, at the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, Mr. Rene Dessommes and Miss Amanda Elizabeth Bermudez, daughter of Mrs. Edward J. Bermudez.

Dittman-Hincks.—On October 3rd, at the St. Louis Cathedral, Mr. Charles Samuel Dittman, Jr., and Miss Emma Hincks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Hincks.

PHILADELPHIA

Breck-Park.—On October 2nd, Mr. William Rogers Breck, of New York, and Miss Helen Miner Park, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gray Park.

Grant-Disston.—On September 7th, at Northeast Harbor, Me., Mr. Patrick Grant 2nd, son of Judge and Mrs. Robert Grant, and Miss Marie Disston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob S. Disston.

Putnam-Steeves.—On September 9th, Mr. Earl B. Putnam, Jr., and Miss Emily Antoinette Steeves.

Townsend-Riley.—On September 7th, at Narragansett Pier, in St. Peter's Episcopal Church-by-the-Sea, Mr. John B. Townsend and Miss Margaret Riley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis A. Riley.

ST. LOUIS

Meisner-Postlewaite.—On October 15th, Rev. Henry W. Meisner and Miss Margot Postlewaite.

ST. PAUL

Archer-Cowley.—On September 26th, at the summer home of the bride's parents at Dellwood, Mr. Shreve Archer and Miss Doris Cowley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. P. Cowley.

Stringer-Warren.—On September 14th, in the Church of St. John the Evangelist, Mr. MacNeil V. Stringer and Miss Louise Levings Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvah H. Warren.

WASHINGTON

Killiam-Scully.—On September 12th, at the home of the bride, Mr. Paul Killiam, of Pittsburgh, and Miss Mary Elizabeth Scully, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Scully.

Tittmann-Crosby.—On September 19th, at the home of the bride's mother, Mr. Charles Trowbridge Tittmann and Miss Jean Audenried Crosby, daughter of the late Admiral Pierce Crosby and Mrs. Crosby.

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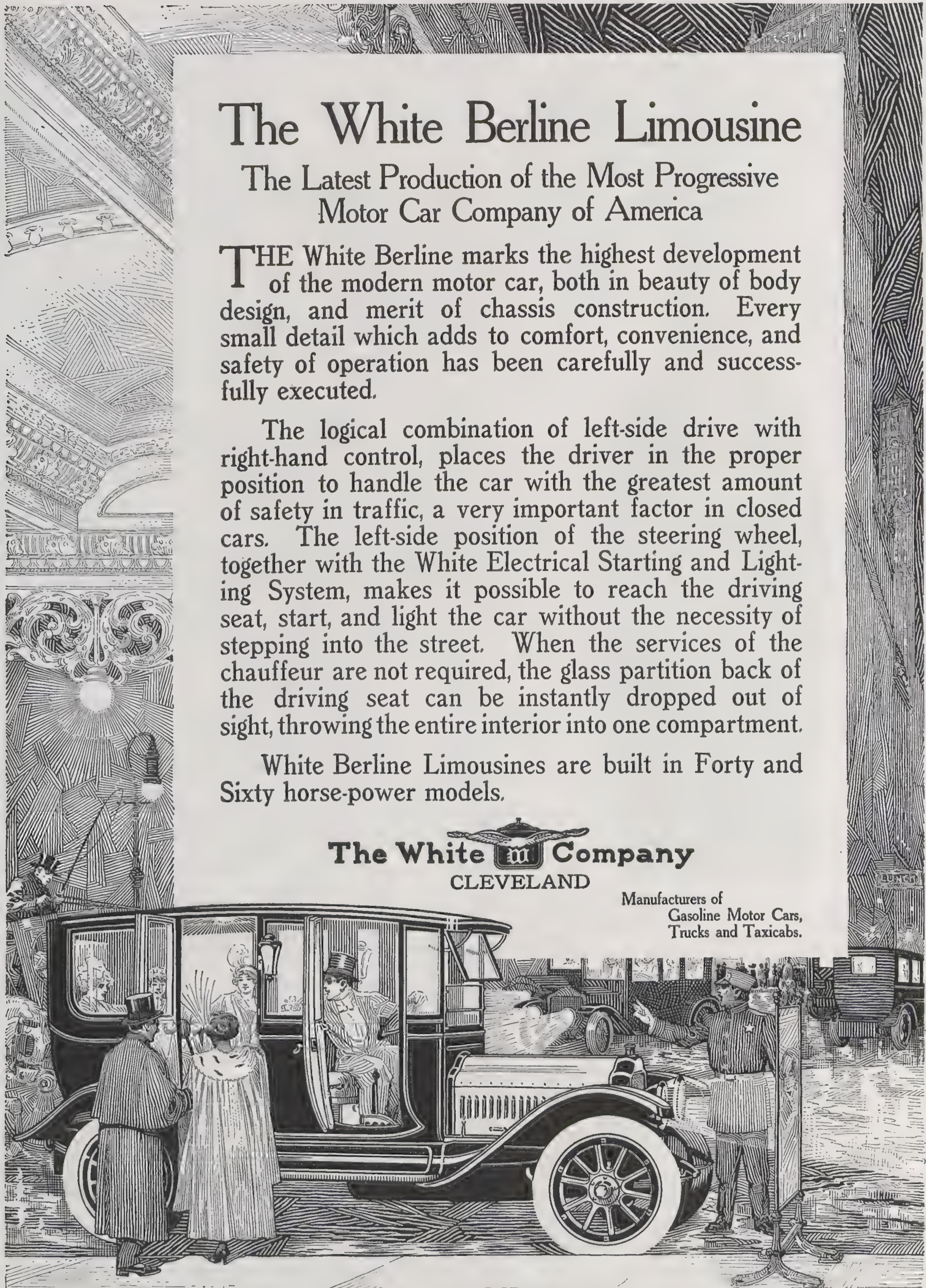
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Weddings to Come

NEW YORK

Johnson-Kelley.—On October 23rd, at the home of the bride's mother, Miss Mildred P. Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Charles E. Bayne, to Mr. Augustus W. Kelley, Jr.

Rathbone-Morgan.—On October 19th, Miss Mary Rathbone, niece of Mrs. J. Archibald Murray, to Mr. William Fel-lows Morgan, Jr.

Roebing-Tyson.—On October 16th, at the home of the bride, Miss Helen Roebing, daughter of Mrs. Charles A. Roebing, of Trenton, N. J., to Mr. Carroll S. Tyson, Jr., of Philadelphia.

BOSTON

Crocker-Kelly.—On October 19th, at the Protestant Episcopal Church, Miss Charlotte Crocker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Crocker, of Brookline, and Mr. Shaun Kelly, of New York.

Saltonstall-Weld.—On November 2nd, Miss Katharine Saltonstall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip L. Saltonstall, to Mr. Philip Weld.

PHILADELPHIA

Townsend-Jacques.—On October 19th, Miss Marjorie Townsend, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Barton Townsend, of Overbrook, Pa., to Mr. Herbert Jacques, Jr.

PITTSBURGH

Thompson-Dilworth.—On October 23rd, at the home of the bride's mother, Castlewood, Sparkill-on-the-Hudson, Miss Helen Thaw Thompson, daughter of Mrs. William R. Thompson, and Mr. John C. Dilworth.

RICHMOND

Coulling-Randall.—On October 16th, at Leesburg, Virginia, Miss Lucy Lee Coulling, daughter of Mrs. William Meade Coulling, to Lieutenant Marshall Giron Randall, 6th Field Artillery, U. S. A.

ST. LOUIS

Anderson-Bakewell.—On November 26th, Miss Mildred Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo E. Anderson, to Mr. Edward McNair Bakewell.

Whiteside-Overstolz.—On October 26th, Miss Marie Overstolz, daughter of Mrs. Otto E. Forster, and Mr. James P. Whiteside.

ST. PAUL

Wilson-Johnston.—On October 16th, Miss Nancien Wilson, of Sherman, Texas, and Mr. Clarence Howard Johnston, Jr.

Calendar of Sports

DOG SHOWS

October 15.—Empire Beagle Club, Elmira, N. Y.

October 22.—Central Beagle Club, Seventeenth Annual Field Trials.

October 23.—Central State Field Trial Association, annual field trials, Hamilton, Ohio.

October 28.—Southern Ohio Field Trial Association's second annual field trials, Cincinnati, Ohio.

November 4.—Hoosier Field Trial Club's annual field trials, Bucknell, Ind.

November 7.—National Beagle Club of America, Twenty-third Annual Field Trials, Shadwell, Va.

GOLF

October 10-12.—Belmont Spring C. C., open tournament.

October 12, 13, 19, 20 and 26.—Club Championship, Oakland Golf Club.

October 16-19.—Belfield C. C., Invitation Tournament.

HORSE RACING

October 7-18.—Lexington.

HORSE SHOWS

October 12-18.—Hagerstown, Md.

October 21-26.—St. Louis, Mo.

November 16-23.—National Horse Show, New York.

TENNIS

January 27.—Pinhurst Country Club, Pinhurst, N. C., Third Annual Mid-Winter Tennis Tournament.

February 12.—Seventh Regiment Tennis Club, Indoor Championship for Men.

March 1.—Palm Beach Tennis Club, Palm Beach, Fla., Winter Championship of Florida.

A S S E E N B Y H I M

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who had been absent from Newport for several years, and from whom a great deal is always expected, gave summer fêtes, one a ball for which a temporary ballroom was built, the other a theatrical entertainment for which a troupe of singers from town was engaged—a most excellent advertisement for the managers—who made the most of it. At this affair the guests were asked to come in eastern costume.

Now last winter there were as many as a dozen dances and balls where the guests in this very set wore eastern dress, and most of them had these fancy costumes at Newport with them. The women, naturally, wore their jewels, although many of the gowns were decorated merely with tinsel.

Nor was it the first time that a troupe of performers had been brought on to Newport, nor the first time a fancy dress ball had been given there. In England such fêtes are quite frequent. But the correspondents of some of the newspapers raved about these two events, and kept on for a fortnight or more after it was all over, dwelling on the magnificence of the entertainments and the enormous sums spent by the two hostesses. Everything was magnified at least ten times. Preachers who enjoy sensations grasped this occasion, and writers who had exhausted the fiction of monkey dinners had a new subject. Only one paper had the courage to come out and state the truth and decry the absurd exaggerations.

And then the English press took it up, and they are still at it, hammer and tongs. Just fancy! The middle classes are appalled by it. And when one loses the respect of the middle classes abroad, it is even worse than it is here. Let

them but know that you belong to a millionaire family and they will cherish it against you for all time. Several New York names have become such bywords in Europe that their owners are obliged to travel incog.; and as for Mr. Morgan and the Vanderbilts, the mob pursues them everywhere, and their names are known all over the world.

We are not an extravagant people, but we are luxurious because we have money. We do not waste it, we spend it judiciously, far more so than people in our rank on the continent. We are hospitable and generous. We have not gone out of our way, even at Newport, to perpetrate unheard of extravagances. We have built extempore ballrooms these thirty years; even Mrs. Bradley Martin's famous one, back in the early eighties, was not the first in New York. Madame Brugière erected a similar structure a century ago when she gave her fancy dress ball at her house in Bowling Green.

We have been a little too pretentious, perhaps—the only criticism those who know our finest houses and our magnificent interiors and gardens make against us. It was, perhaps, a bit out of place to build stone and marble palaces at Newport, but we know better now. In our latest homes we are following rather the lines of the Early English than those of the gorgeous period of the last two French kings before the Revolution. Our great city is slowly becoming one of dignity and beauty. The hideous old brown stone houses are passing away, and although in the reconstruction we are destroying much that is historical, we are tearing down what is ugly, and replacing it with what is beautiful.

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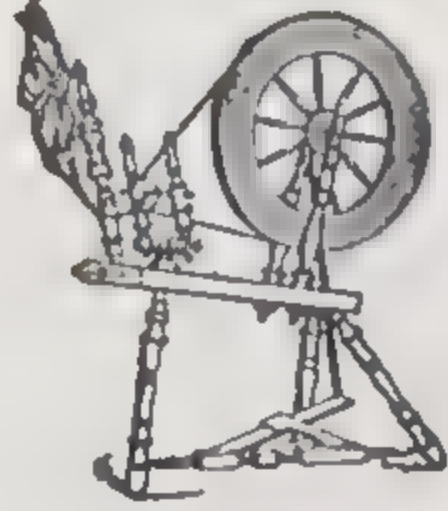
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Most motor cars are provided with five outside lights. Heretofore, on gasoline cars, these were lit by means of acetylene gas and kerosene oil. With the coming of the electric self-starter, it was found of advantage to use this necessary power for other purposes, too. The storage battery now furnishes current for operating all of the electric lights. But aside from the efficiency of these lights, their ease of operation appeals to car owner and driver. All of the five signal lights can be operated by the pressure of a series of buttons located on the dashboard in front of the driver's seat. Thus the lights can be turned on while the car is in motion, and the sputtering and uncertain match is no longer a necessary evil.

NEW LIGHTS FROM OLD

And even the older cars may have their lights modernized with a complete electric system. A small generator may be attached to almost any convenient portion of the engine, and made to charge a storage battery with sufficient capacity for the operation of all electric lights for two or three hours. The wiring is simple, and it is not even necessary to make radical changes in the lighting fixtures. The large (and expensive) acetylene headlights may be converted into electrically operated lamps by the attachment of simple "adapters" clamped to the burners. The side lamps and tail light may be electrified in a similar manner.

LUXURIOUSLY LIGHTED INTERIORS

But it is in the interior of the closed car that the electric lights can be used to the best advantage. In fact, were it not for the electric lighting system, there could be no interior illumination of the

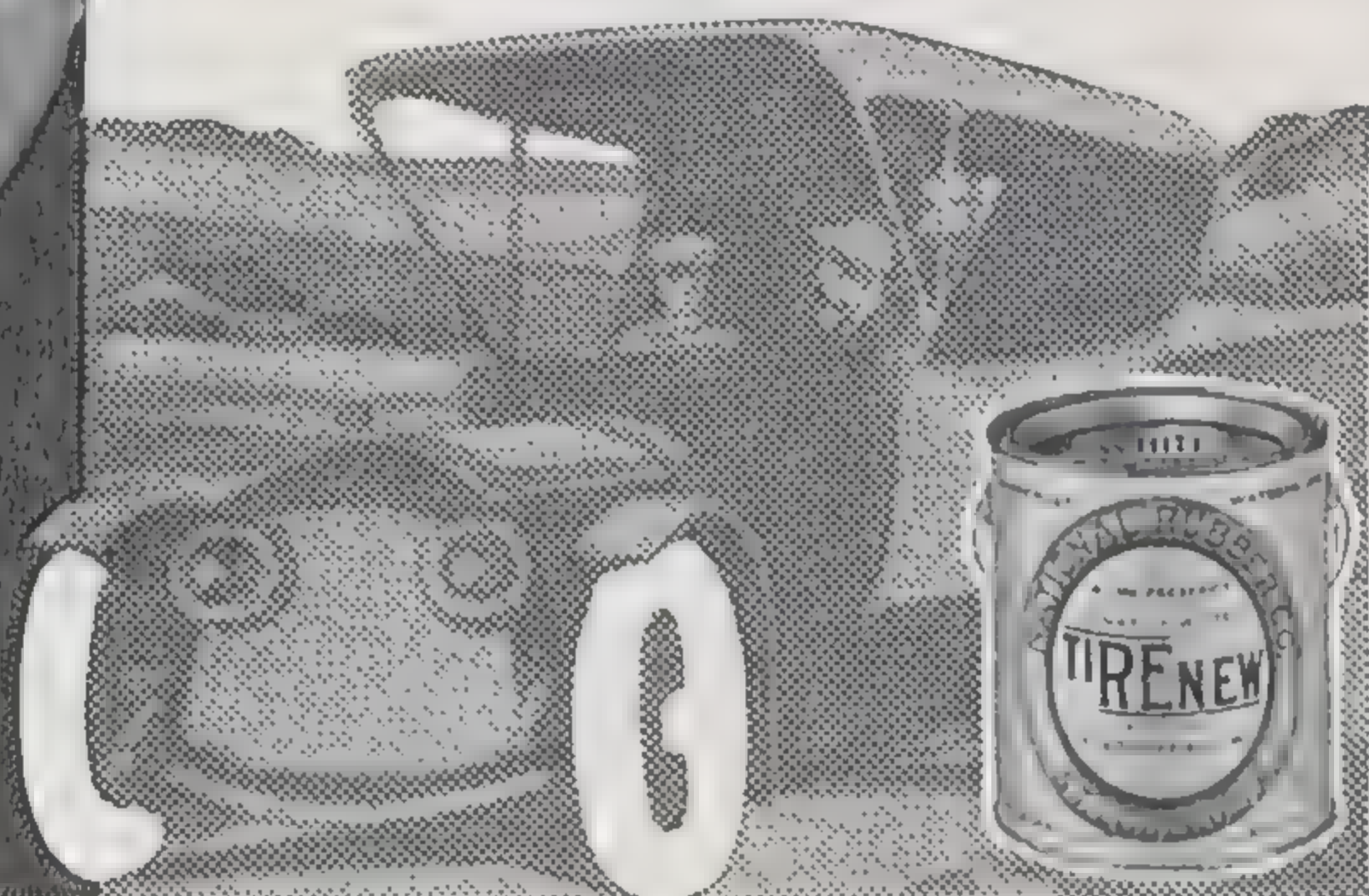
luxurious limousine or coupé, for acetylene or any other open flame would prove unsatisfactory, and even dangerous. The modern closed car is as well and conveniently illuminated as are the owner's living-rooms, and it is not an uncommon equipment that consists of overhead lights and an individual reading light by each of the five seats of the capacious limousine. These are generally provided with frosted or handsome cut glass globes, and are operated by separate wall switches set into the woodwork of the car.

The overhead lamps are generally in the shape of "dome" lights, set flush into the top of the car, and provided with special globes that shed the radiance equally on all parts of the interior. The side lights may be either in the form of small clusters of two, three, or four miniature bulbs, or single pillar lamps, depending upon the decorative scheme followed in the interior.

USEFUL ELECTRIC DEVICES

Small indicator and gauge lamps are useful accessories of the electrically-equipped car. These enable the driver to determine at a glance the readings of his speedometer, clock, and other dashboard instruments. These gauge lamps consist of small bulbs covered by brass guards which prevent the light from shining directly into the eyes of the driver. The underside of the guard is polished to furnish a reflecting surface that throws the light on the instrument to be read. There may be as many of these separate lights as desired, and any or all may be left burning continuously, or turned off and on by means of a small switch.

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Of these there are two, the old and the new. The old market is smelly and dirty, as are most tropical markets, and as one can find the same things in the new Victoria market, it is natural to turn there. As it is built at the foot of King Street right on the bay, it is almost always freshened by a cool breeze. Through an imposing gateway of concrete and iron is seen a courtyard with a playing fountain. Surrounding the courtyard is the market itself, a large, cool shed where one may buy anything from mutton chops to fine lace. But it is to the basket stalls along aisles banked with piles of tropical fruit—mangoes,

green and purple alligator pears, rosy apples, and yellow limes—that the tourist wanders.

Here are baskets so cheap and so common in the eyes of the negroes who make them that they are used instead of wrapping paper. Some are made of palm and straw woven into every imaginable size and shape and colored with vegetable dyes, others are woven of cane over stout foundations, still others are plain, like the envelope basket here illustrated, and a few are decorated with a band or border of dyed palm. A charming, open-work cane basket, lined with bright colored silk, sells for sixpence. A square, box-like basket filled with delicious mangoes costs one shilling. For two shillings may be bought a whole nest of flat baskets, while a single conveniently shaped basket, narrow and oblong, costs threepence.

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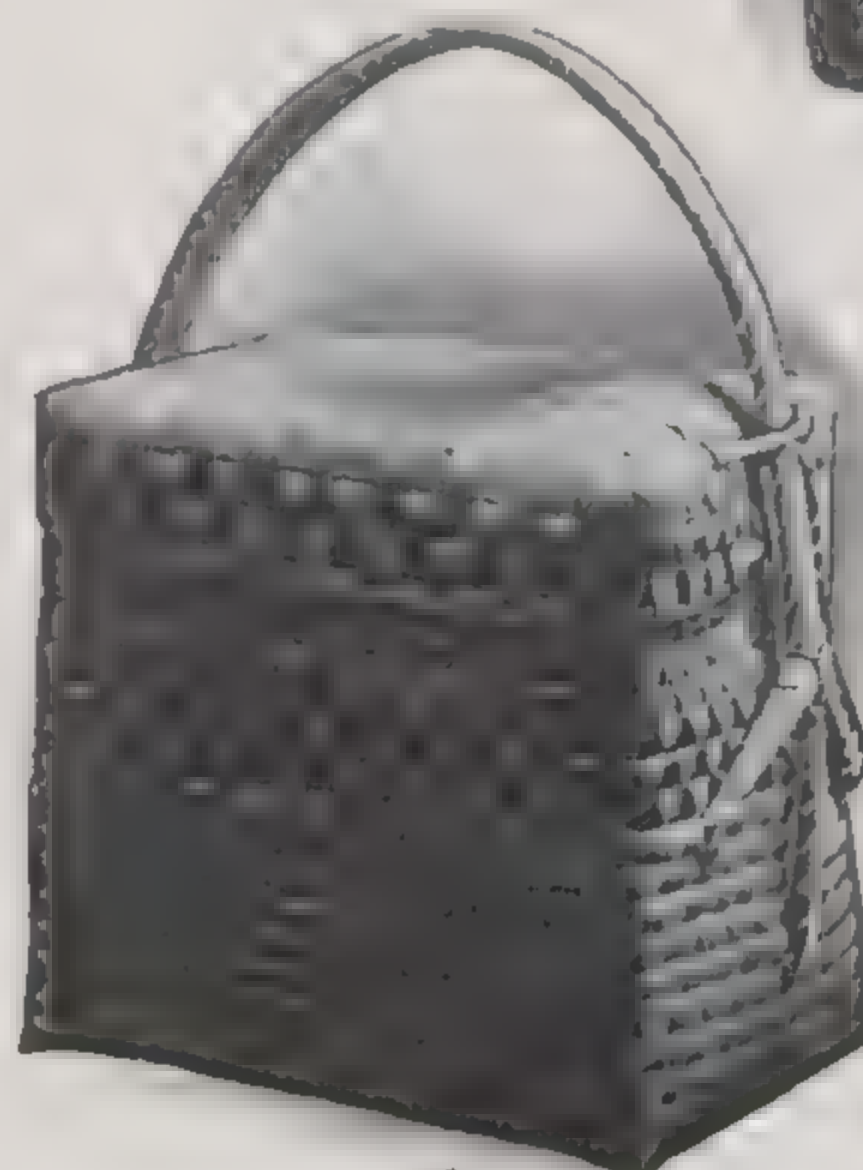
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The bottom illustration shows a case unique in material and structure. It is a long envelope with a short flap, and is wide enough to contain two corsets. Chinese-patterned charmeuse in shades of orange and blue, faced with Chinese silk delicately and closely lined with a lavender stripe, makes an excellent color scheme. The division for the two corsets is accomplished by orange and lavender tassels taken from Chinese wind bells, the long cords of which are punched through from the under side, where a twisted ornament is formed. The bag may be folded and the cords wrapped around in opposite directions and tied. The flap of the envelope is fastened to the lower part of the bag by lavender silk loops and jade buttons.

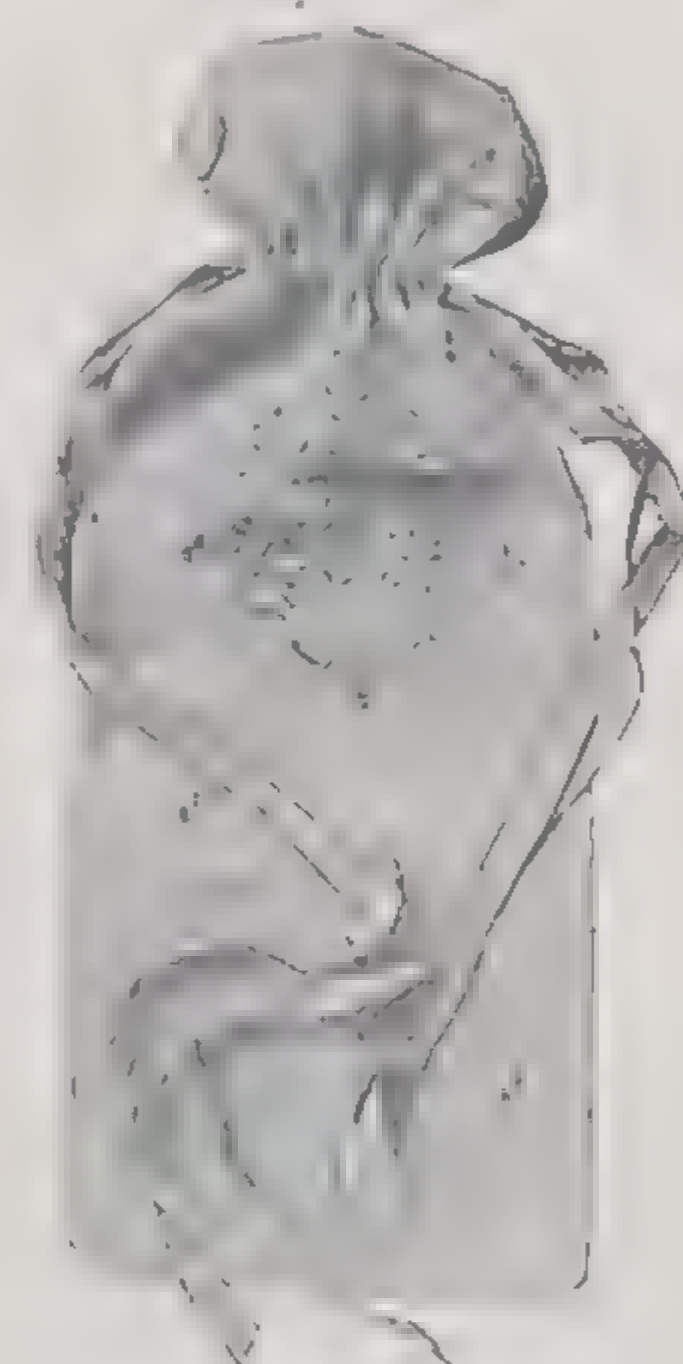
Black and white are strikingly combined in the bag pictured at the

extreme right of the group. The material of which it is made is called pongee, but it is really the heavy ribbed silk of which men's evening dress scarfs are composed. It is oyster white, and launders beautifully. The white, crochet silk, double thread beading, half an inch wide, that joins the two long, oval pieces of silk and is run through with black moire ribbon a trifle wider, and the classic cameo of black moire with its white monogram mounted by beading so as to be removable, mark the simplicity and practicality of the bag. The ends of the small bows of the narrow ribbon are plaited and pressed with a hot iron. A skeleton beading of single crochet is fastened to the inside by means of chain-stitch needlework which appears on the outside, thus giving a finish and a means for drawing-cords of white chenille, which are braided and looped. By a chain-stitch on the inside, crochet is also applied by way of a finish to the oval edges at the head of the bag.

The soft gray satin bag on the left, with small clusters of two-toned pink flowers, clearly shows its Pompadour origin. It is not, however, without practicality, for it has a separate inner bag of sheer white linen. The embellishment on the upper side of the outer bag is a silk miniature set on with narrow art braid of tarnished gold and silver threads.

Self-fringe finishes the top, and a rose-pink silk cord, ending in knotted drops, is used as a drawing-string. The handkerchief-linen bag within has a small fagoted hem through which are drawn strings of white crochet beading, held together at the ends by round crochet buttons. Faint Nile green is used to embroider the three-letter monogram of French script evenly spaced on the hem.

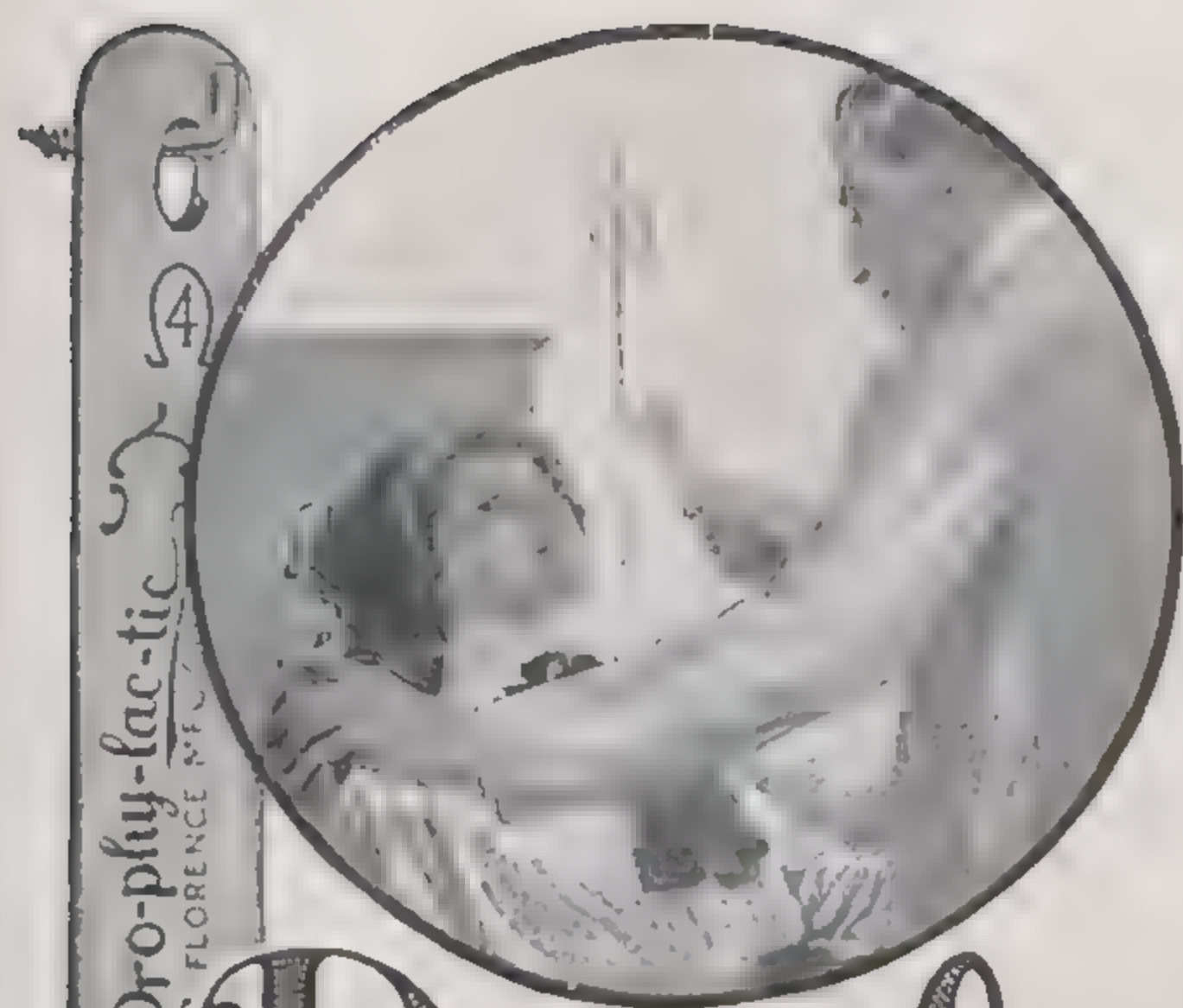
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THE past season has been very kind to the girl with deft fingers. The use of handwork on suits and costumes often enables the woman of moderate means to make a far smarter suit than she could afford to purchase and one that is not the duplicate of the ninety and nine to be seen in the shops.

A clever, well-gowned girl confessed that she gained her most individual effects by buying simple suits of good cut and adding, for instance, a velvet collar and cuffs, fancy buttons and bits of braid; in other words, the latest touches seen on imported suits.

The sketches show some of the novel ways of attaching buttons. A pearl or bone button, as illustrated at the top of the page to the left, may be sewed with silk threads from the holes in the center out over the edge and underneath. It will be found easier to cover the button first and then sew it to the material, using the knotted silk underneath the button as a shank. When the button is used solely as an ornament it may be sewn directly to the cloth. For motor coats, bright worsted may be used on large buttons with good effect.

Another method is to place a bit of green or scarlet felt on a dark bone button, and attach it by sewing across with silk the color of the button, as shown in the sketch on the right at the top of the page.

Plaid is being used in all sorts of odd conceits. A pretty touch is to cover a button mold with plaid silk and sew it onto a dark bone button so that the rim of bone will show all around the plaid. The middle illustration at the top of the page shows this effect. These buttons are extremely smart both for children's clothes and outing coats and suits.

Braid is as fashionable as ever; small buttons or those of ribbed silk with double loops of braid are most attractive down the front of a frock; or a design in braid such as is shown near the bottom of the page looks well on a suit. A bit of gold or silver in the braid is smart just now, as all the new importations show metallic touches.

An olivine covered with soutache braid, or braid such as is shown at the bottom of the page on the left, is distinctive. It varies in size of design and heaviness of quality



Blue bone button combined with a plaid silk mold

according to the material on which it is used. It is necessary to decide on the size desired, and mark the distance from the button point to the end of the loop. It will be found much easier if the distance from the button point to each loop is marked on a

card to obviate measuring each time. An olivine covered with loom braid, and having two butterfly loops of the braid, with a small olivine of braid dangling by a loop, will add an effective touch to a costume. The illustration in the lower, right-hand corner of the page gives an idea of how this may be done.

Silk-covered cord is very popular, and is most convenient for fashioning ornaments to fill a bare place, or for covering a worn spot in making over a costume. A soft cord should be used, and crêpe de Chine lends itself especially well to this use. It will be found an advantage if the main

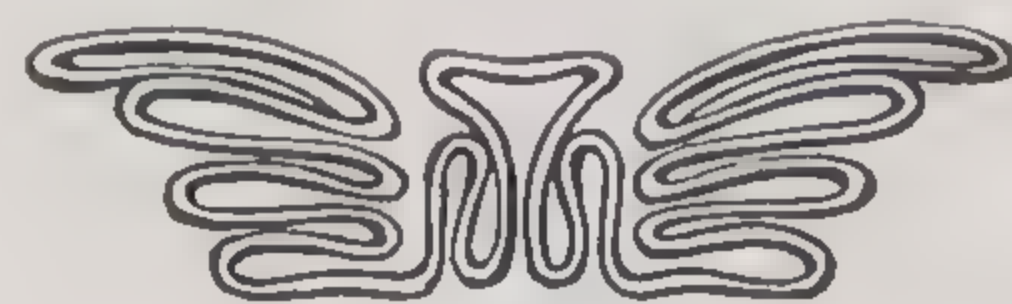
lines of the design are marked in thread of a contrasting color which may easily be taken out afterwards. The accompanying illustration, third from the top of the page, shows one of the many designs which may be used to make one of these pretty ornaments.

A soft bunchy bow or rosette of moiré or grosgrain ribbon with cord and tassel, such as is shown just below the ornaments of braid will be found a clever and simple way to finish off drapery, to end a sash, or to join the sash ends together as is done so much nowadays. A padded velvet button is the foundation for this ornament, and over that are placed the loops, and then a soft, puffy knot of ribbon for the center of the rosette.

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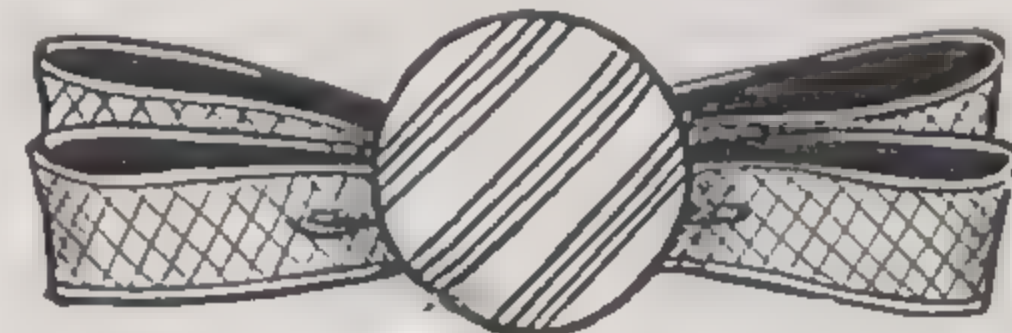
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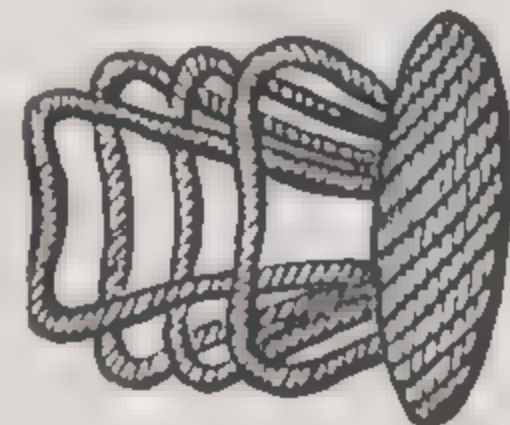
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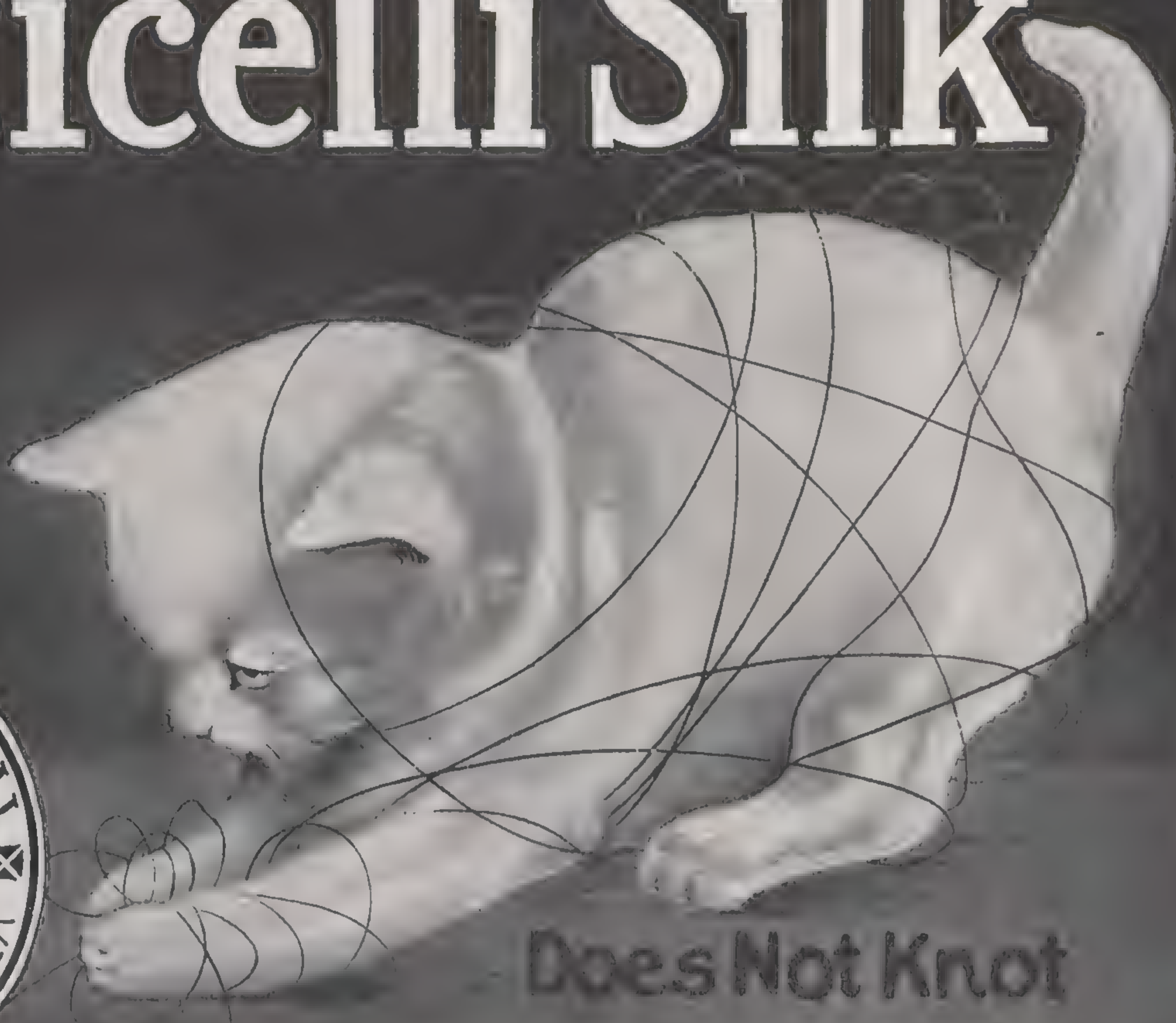
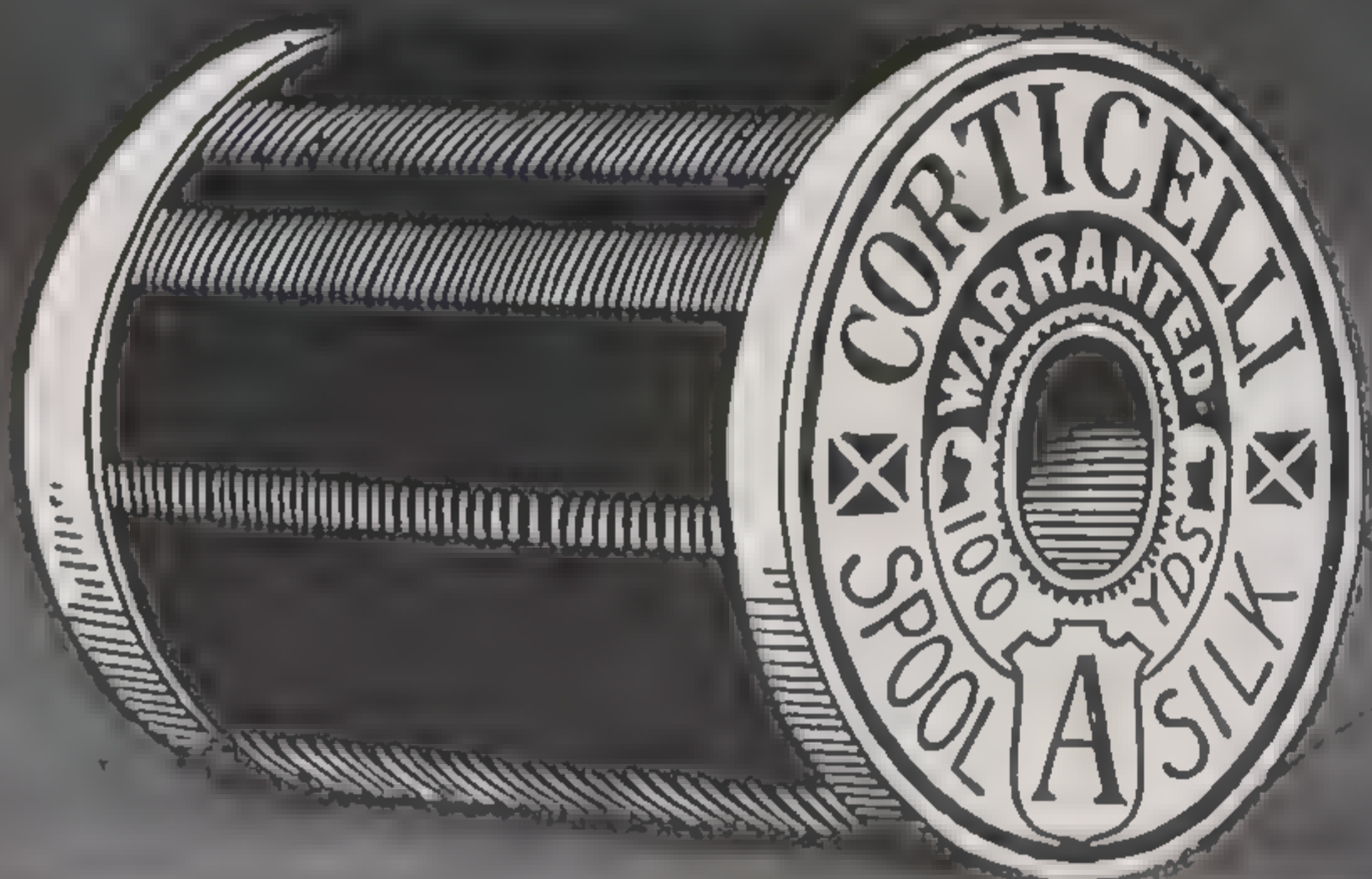
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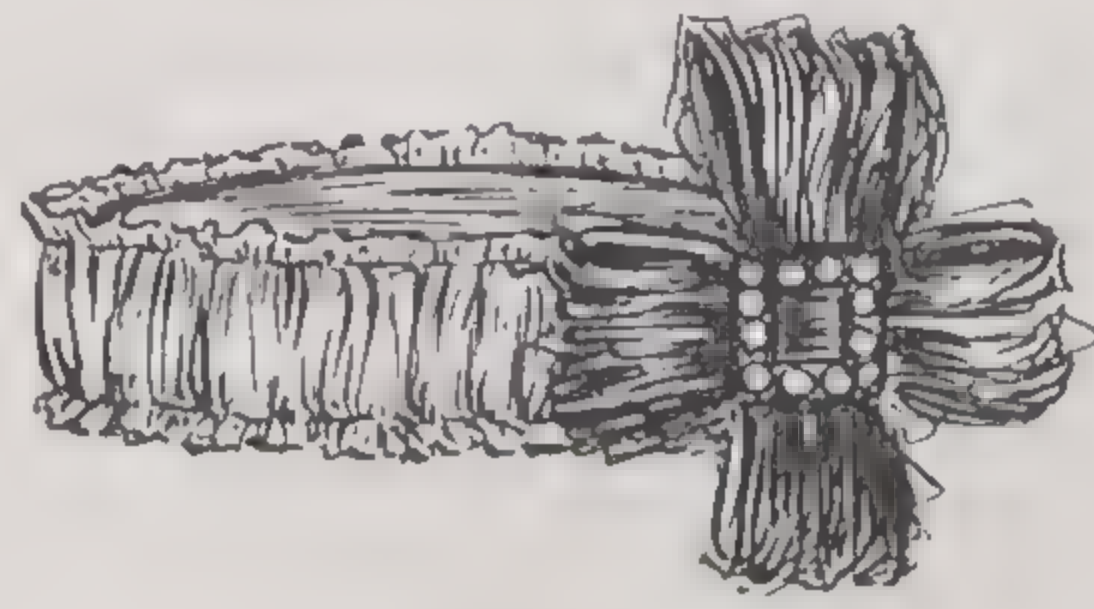
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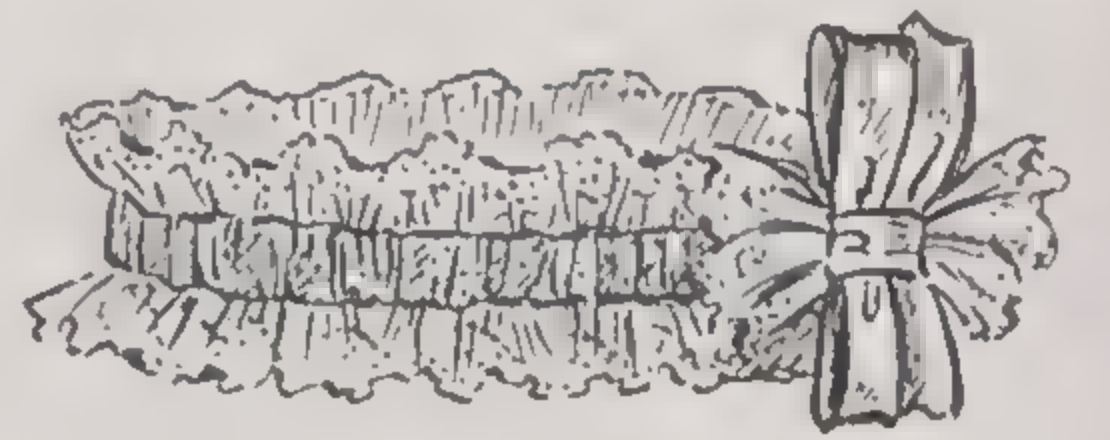
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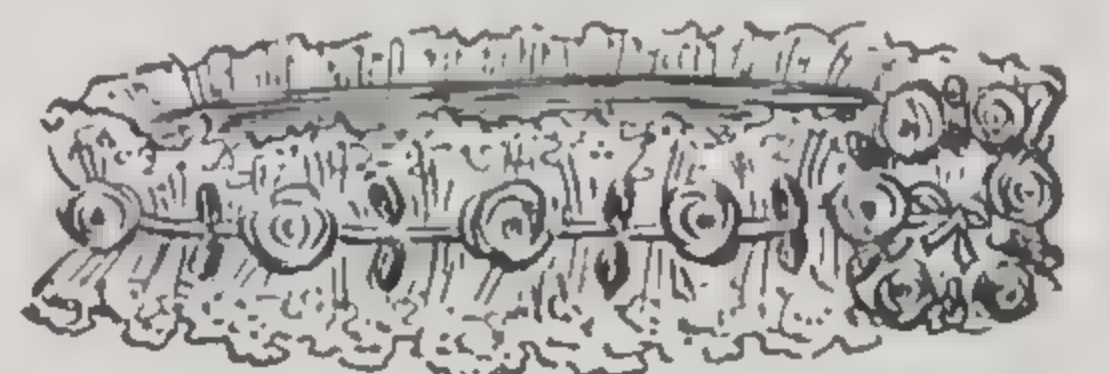
Another charming conceit in lace may be either of Valenciennes or the omnipresent shadow lace. Two scant ruffles are joined together and the seam is covered by a blue satin piping with tiny pink chiffon roses one and one-half inches apart. A tiny wreath of roses forms the side trimming interspersed with green chiffon leaves. The roses are made by rolling a doubled strip of chiffon eight inches long into the shape of a rose and twisting a bit of thread tightly around the bottom to form the blossoms; the leaves are bits of green chiffon folded and tacked at the outer end and at the stem, represented by the piping. The leaves should be sewn under the piping and the roses on top.

A lovely garter for a bride is of white chiffon shirred twice and piped over the shirring with white satin. The chiffon forms a frill at either edge and is fastened under a lining of white satin. A soft, fluffy rosette of chiffon with white satin orange blossoms and buds, with green silk leaves and stems is at the side. Artificial orange blossoms may be used, but the satin flowers are softer and more durable. To make the flowers of white satin ribbon, use five loops one and a half inches long. At the turn of each loop take in a little on the under side to shape the petals, and tie a bit of green over the center. For the buds use a bit of ribbon one inch long, fold and gather at the center and tie at the top with the green ribbon, after sewing on the stem of green ribbon piping. Piece satin may be used instead of ribbon for the flowers, but it is a little more difficult to handle as one must allow for the turning in of raw edges.

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at the back with satin belts and gold buckles. An exquisite jacket of this description was of white satin embroidered down each side of the front with strass and steel beads. They ran into large motifs at the corners, and continued in a scroll pattern around the back. The entire jacket, basque and all, reached just to the waist-line.

LOOSE backs and tunic waists with the back apparently hanging loose from the shoulder down in a pretty modification of the Watteau plait are most striking. Often the drapery of the skirt is fulled on to the bottom of this loose hanging back which usually ends in a point three or four inches below the normal waist-line, and from there continues down in a semi-pannier drapery.

W - Chéruit, and Drécoll are using enormous buttons to fasten their long cloth wraps and ulsters. These buttons are usually in horn or smoked mother-of-pearl; they are round, and measure not less than two inches in diameter.

TERRA-COTTA and Empire green are in high favor. Terra-cotta is especially popular for long coats of velours de laine, for it gives a most rich effect. It is also used in velvets and chiffons for house gowns. Empire green is more in use for trimming, though an exceedingly smart Drécoll walking costume was of Empire green cloth trimmed with black satin. The short waist opened over a white satin vest with buttons of black satin.

A FINGER on the PULSE of FASHION

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shoulders to the waist-line in front, where they fasten without crossing. Here the ends are turned under; the left end is drawn around the left hip, and the right end is drawn around the right hip; the two meet at the waist-line in the back, where they fasten.

Instead of carrying a muff, the wearer is supposed to thrust her hands in the pockets made by the turn of the scarf ends at the waist-line in front. Heavy tassels of gray silk hang from the lower corners.

The Béchoff-David frock of navy blue cloth which is illustrated on page 23 is made with gorgeously flowered sleeves—a feature of the models shown by this house. At the hands are frills of finely plaited Florentine silk. A similar frill crosses the right shoulder.

CHÉRUIT, BUZENET, REDFERN, DOEUILLET

Breitschwanz is used for the shapely Chéruit coat sketched on page 24. It hangs straight and square from the shoulders in the back; in the middle of the front it is cut on the lines of a long, square waistcoat, and is drawn close to the figure by means of a breitschwanz sash. A note of beige is added in the collar of *tuyau d'orgue*.

The little frock of black satin and chiffon shown next it embodies most of the new features of Chéruit's collection. The tight skirt, the pannier, the sash, the long waist are all here. The sleeves and the embroidered neck are edged with sable, and narrow bands of the fur trim the back of the blouse.

Buzenet's "Success" is also illustrated on page 24. It is of gray and black velours

cotelé, and is trimmed with black braid and black satin buttons. The circular tunic, girdled at the normal waist-line, crosses the left hip and is drawn to the bottom of the skirt on the right side, where it is draped across the knee. The revers are of white satin, and white-satin is set in above the cuffs.

Redfern makes no hypocritical attempt to conceal what the skirt slash is most obviously intended to reveal by filling it in with diaphanous chiffon or tulle, or by overlapping the seams. He shows originality by splitting the skirt, not up the middle of the front or the side, but through the middle of the fish-tail train, and as high as the knee. The gown shown at the bottom of page 24 is of velvet, which is used in the slightly draped undergown, and chiffon brocaded in velvet which forms the corsage and tunic. A heavy ornament confines the fullness of the pannier just above the opening in the train, and other similar ornaments finish the corsage at the waist-line.

Doeuillet's frock of white broadcloth illustrated on page 25 shows a smart line in the sloping shoulder. This appears on all of the modish coats which have broad collars. The wide, Directoire collar never stands quite as it should, and never lies quite flat—hence the long, sloping line from the ear to the shoulder. This frock with its wide sleeve and full blouse is most girlish. It is trimmed with tabs of white cloth embroidered in blue, and a band of skunk at the knee. The straight collar does not follow the curve of the neck. The underskirt is of white crêpe de Chine.

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The MODERN CRAFTSMEN of PARIS

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Railway Station, known as the American quarter, that are of interest but of less merit than the two in old Paris. The somewhat dull territory between the Madeleine and the Parc Monceau is enlivened by two or three interesting art shops. One on the Boulevard Malesherbes is a favorite exhibition place for the younger men of Paris like Bernard de Monvel. During the winter and spring this gallery holds a series of worth-while exhibitions.

Artistic talent in France sometimes runs in families, and one of the gifted groups working there to-day is made up of these same de Monvels. One is a jeweler, but of the kind which France alone produces, an artist who uses his metals and stones to create as genuine works of art as ever painter put on canvas. He conducts a small display room in the rue Tronchet just back of the Madeleine.

All of these establishments are permanent institutions where at any time of year the visiting art lover may find something to interest him. Most of the modern producers keep objects on sale at one or the other of these shops. There are, however, other opportunities to see what France offers to-day in art products, for certain groups of artists hold exhibitions in the galleries. Many of them are regular contributors to the three salons, and the latest creations of such men as René Lalique are as eagerly watched for as are those of a Cottet or a Blanche. France has ever held in high regard her artist crafts people.

WHERE THE CRAFTSMEN EXHIBIT

The New Salon is strong in its arts and crafts section, and it has its enthusiastic exhibitors of design just as it has its own particular group of painters and sculptors. The Salon d'Automne has for some years made a specialty of artistic room furnishings, and the men and women who have anything new to exhibit in the way of furniture or hangings are apt to send it first to the Fall Salon.

Two other exhibitions exclusively of the decorative arts are held in Paris, one at the Musée des Arts Décoratifs, and one at a little known exhibition gallery, the Musée Galliera. The Decorative Arts Museum is a part of the Louvre with, however, a separate entrance. It contains the nucleus of France's national treasures, which may some day occupy a building of their

own. This is an old project, first talked of thirty years ago when Rodin was given his commission to execute the great doors for a proposed decorative arts museum.

The Musée Galliera is a permanent show place for the decorative artists. It is a small and beautiful building, the entrance of which is on the rue Pierre-Charron, in a quarter of Paris as distinctly American in its way as is that part of the Montparnasse district bordering on the Trocadéro Palace. There are always to be seen in the small and intimate galleries of this museum exhibitions of wrought iron, stained glass, weaving, pottery, metal work, jewelry, book-binding, and whatever other industries happen to be occupying the art-loving populace of Paris. These objects are always for sale, and though the gallery is a governmental institution, it is also a salesroom. It is a convincing demonstration of France's parental interest in her artistic children.

WHERE ART IS FOR THE MANY

It must be remembered that in France art is not only an acknowledged industry, but one necessary to the happiness of her people. Few of the French, even among the peasants, are indifferent to things artistic, and it is not at all uncommon for people of an alien profession to have also some artistic outlet. One of the sons of the leading oculists of France, himself a physician, is a regular contributor to the annual exhibitions of Paris; his work consists of illustrations in turned wood of scenes from novels and operas. The widow of a former government official who distinguished himself in the Dreyfus case makes wonderful lamp and candle shades of carved tortoise-shell. She is a supporter of the New Salon. Cases of this sort are innumerable.

With all France watching with sympathetic interest the year's progress in all the arts, it is not surprising that Paris supports not only its exhibitions, but its small art shops; and as it is a land where art is not regarded as a luxury, but as an integral part of the life of the people, it cannot command millionaires' prices. In America, and perhaps in England, it may be as Whistler is quoted as saying, that "art is for the extremely few." In France it is for the many, and its diverse expressions are so appraised as to be within the reach of the many.

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The CORSET ENCASED

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middle of the group. A bag of pale blue silk and satin ribbon is veiled three-quarters of its length with an outer bag of two-inch-wide Valenciennes insertion joined strip to strip; this is topped with a plaited lace frill. The two bags are held together by tiny blue silk buttons. Thin gold lace, one-quarter of an inch wide, edges the opening; below this is a hem run through with two-inch blue satin ribbon so soft that it can be looped in the form of a chain.

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SEEN on the STAGE

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Three years later, having been released from prison, she organizes a systematic campaign to gain money and power by methods that are morally questionable, but that remain always within the letter of the law. In this campaign she is aided by a gang of crooks whom she has met in prison. The only way in which the police can combat her is by trying to lure one of her followers into an overt violation of the law. This they do by "planting" a robbery in the house of the wealthy drygoods merchant, and employing a "stool-pigeon" to tempt Joe Garson, who is one of Mary's lieutenants, to undertake the "job" without her knowledge.

But Mary has enticed the young son of the drygoods merchant into marrying her, and quite naturally the young couple turn up in the merchant's house on the night of the robbery. Garson has already shot the "stool-pigeon" dead, and has escaped through a window. The Police Inspector, breaking in, discovers the dead body on the floor, with Mary and her husband in the room. To shield Garson, Mary maintains that her husband killed the "stool-pigeon," and that, in doing so, he acted "within the law," since he was defending himself from a burglar.

In the last act, Garson is broken down by the Police Inspector to a confession of his guilt, and Mary and her husband are set free. By this time her innocence of the theft has been established, and a prospect is held forth of a happy married life to come.

This story is tensely constructed, and there are many thrilling moments of suspense and of surprise. The play, like most melodramas, is deficient in the element of character, but the parts afford ample opportunities for acting, and all

of them are admirably played. The honors of the performance fall to Miss Jane Cowl as the heroine, to Mr. William B. Mack as Garson, and to Miss Florence Nash as a slangy member of the gang. The dialogue is remarkable for its terseness and its tang of the vernacular. The author is to be congratulated upon writing a "thriller" that is genuinely thrilling.

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THE new spectacle at the Hippodrome is entitled "Under Many Flags." It consists of a series of over a dozen scenes which exhibit typical aspects of the life in many different countries. These localities are visited in turn by certain characters who have been kidnapped in a marvelous airship which has been invented by a captain in the United States navy. This airship, when put to martial uses, is so destructive that, when the secret of its construction is given to all the nations of the world, the result is the abolition of war and the establishment of universal peace.

A list of the places represented will offer some suggestion of the range of this panoramic entertainment. There is the lawn of the White House at Washington, the parade grounds of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, a fishing village on the coast of Brittany, a summer garden in Berlin, a canal in Holland, a public square in Moscow, a Highland glen in Scotland, a street in Pekin, a town in Arizona, and a plaza in Teheran. A beautiful ballet descriptive of the flowers of the nations, and a gorgeous final spectacle which represents the silver palace of universal peace are the final Hippodrome touches. An evening at the Hippodrome is rather a relief from the attending of many plays, and affords the spectator an opportunity for becoming a child again, if only for a night.

THE EXCELLENCE OF THE READY-MADE

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It has always been possible to buy beautiful negligees and practical bath robes, but to find a simple rest robe of good material unspoiled by bad trimming is rare. On page 29 is one of crêpe de Chine in a pretty cut, with the broad collar and the edges of the sleeves finished by a silk fringe the color of the material. The price is a moderate \$4.95.

COATS FOR DAY AND EVENING

"Wait until you are in London to buy your motor coat," has frequently been quoted to women who wanted to buy motor coats. And there used to be good reason for this advice. To-day, however, models equal to those of English make are to be found in New York shops. One of two-tone red and black ratine is illustrated on page 29. Its excellencies are its good coloring, and splendid material and finish. Every detail, such as the buttons and braid, has been considered in relation to the body of the coat and to the purpose for which it was intended. But in all coats it is the cut which really counts; the half an inch or so which is put in or left

out is what marks one coat as smart and another as merely commonplace.

As an instance of how closely good French fashions can be obtained ready-made, here, next to the motor coat is a copy of a Jenny coat. And Jenny, by the way, has been making rather excellent designs for such models. This one, in both the original and the copy, is of a soft bottle-green velour in a cut which is both unusual and distinctive. The collar and cuffs are of opossum, while a trifle of color suggesting the orient is shown in a half-eclipsed buckle at the waist-line. This coat cost \$225 to land, but copied in as good materials, it can be bought ready-made for \$45.

Throughout the better stores, the importance first of getting good models, second of getting them quickly, third of reproducing them accurately, has finally been recognized and put in practice. The result is a happy one for the woman who wishes the convenience of buying some of her clothes ready-made.

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PARIS SPECIALTIES

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There are in Paris certain stores, one large department store in particular, where the prices for table linen correspond closely with those in England, and are far lower than New York prices.

INEXPENSIVE TABLE LINENS

Here one can obtain table napkins a yard square, in a good quality of damask, with a plain, satiny middle part and a wide border of marguerites, for 22 francs a dozen, and a tablecloth to match, two yards long, for 16 francs. Other napkins in a beautiful quality of damask, with a plain center, framed by a large, oval garland of flowers, separated from a leafy border by a plain space about an inch-and-a-half in width, cost but 33 francs a dozen, and the tablecloth to match, two and one-half yards long, with the same plain, oval-shaped center, costs 25 francs.

Perhaps the most agreeably surprising thing about the table linen at this shop is the rate of marking. Napkins marked with three-inch, interlaced letters cost but 1 franc, 5 centimes for the three, while smaller, half-inch letters in similar design may be done for 75 centimes for the three, and a dozen napkins, cut by thread and hemmed by hand, cost 1 franc, 50 centimes a dozen. A tablecloth two yards long will be hemmed by hand for 75 centimes.

Then there is a large, specialty linen shop with a beautiful assortment of the richest and most elaborate tablecloths, centerpieces, bedspreads, and towelings. These are naturally rather more expensive, but if one is in search of choice things of unique design and perfect work, there is no better place.

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They have a most extensive stock of towels ready-made. A handsome towel in a special weave made for this house is one-and-one-quarter yards long by twenty-seven inches wide. It has a wide, almost invisible stripe, and with the edges inset with point de Venise and inch-wide bands of drawn-work, they cost 36 francs apiece. Plainer towels without the Venetian inset, but in the same length and with a wide, hem-stitched border, sell for 21 francs a dozen. An exquisite monogram will be worked upon each towel for 3 francs, 50 centimes. The lace used in all linens of this description is the heavy, hand-made point de Venise, as it is claimed that no other will stand the wear and tear of washing.

Then the sheets. Those great, wide linen sheets, embroidered with the most marvelous monograms in round, square, or diamond-shaped frames with the backgrounds solidly filled with tiny dots, sell for 34 francs a sheet, but what masterpieces they are! Bedspreads made on fine linen sheeting covered with heavy white embroidery cost, for a double bed, 100 francs, for a single bed, 80 francs, and so on up.

Wonderfully interesting also is the display of tea cloths and centerpieces. One odd cloth, a yard and a half square, was made with a center of damask crêpe, edged with two - and - half-inch, tinted, hand-made Milan lace. The tea cloth sold for 50 francs, the square napkins, edged with narrower lace to match, cost 36 francs a dozen; smaller napkins still, of the same pattern and design, cost 27 francs a dozen.

A luncheon cloth, inset with eyelet, cutwork, and point de Venise lace and

edged with the same, with a dozen place and finger-bowl doilies to match, sold for 395 francs for the set.

Bargains in hand-embroidered linens are always to be found in Paris. For example, a sheer, fine 'pillow' slip of batiste is exquisitely embroidered. The hand-scalloped ruffle is put on with tiny French seam beading, and the entire heart-shaped center is covered with solid, white flower embroidery. Yet this dainty thing sells for the absurd price of 20 francs.

THE FAMOUS GLOVES

Gloves are another item which always figures upon every Paris shopper's list. Long and justly have they held their reputation. One can buy a dozen pairs in the French capital for little more than the cost of three pairs of corresponding quality in New York. There are many small specialty shops for gloves, but one usually finds the best quality and the most reasonable prices at the large department stores.

One of these shops in particular is renowned for its fine make the world over. The prices are as follows: short, two-button chamois gloves, white only, 1 franc, 95 centimes; a better quality of softer, more supple skin, 2 francs, 95 centimes and 3 francs, 90 centimes; a guaranteed quality of washable suède, in white, yellow, or a shade of tan in two-button length, 4 francs, 90 centimes; twelve-button length, white chamois gloves, 4 francs, 90 centimes or 8 francs, 90 centimes, according to quality; and washable suède, in either white or tan, 8 francs, 90 centimes.

Dent gloves, white and in colors, cost 3 francs, 95 centimes and 4 francs, 90 centimes, and heavy walking gloves of tan-colored doeskin, the special make of the shop, which they claim will out-wear any two pairs of other makes, sell for 5 francs, 95 centimes. The glacé kid comes in two qualities, one the skin of the lamb, which makes a rather coarser, heavy, inexpensive kid, the other the skin of the doe. White glacé kid gloves in the first kind, in twelve-button length, cost 3 francs, 90 centimes, in doeskin 5 francs, 90 centimes; sixteen-button length, 4 francs, 90 centimes and 8 francs, 75 centimes; and twenty-four-button, to be had only in the best and finest quality, cost 13 francs, 75 centimes.

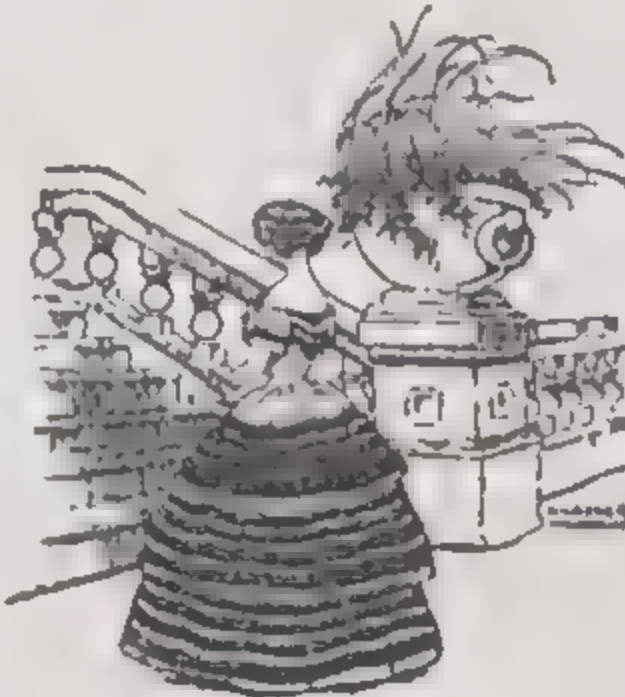
REAL ANTIQUES

The antique shops of Paris act like a magnet to all travelers from across the ocean. It is such fun to poke about in the quaint old streets if one has the leisure and some real bargains are sometimes unearthed. But with limited time, treasure hunting is out of the question and also, if one is willing to sacrifice the local color, unnecessary, for several of the large stores have started departments for old furniture, crystal, and curios.

The shop which has by long odds the best department of this kind was recently selling, for 30 francs apiece, two beautiful old decanters of the First Empire. Perfect gems they were, of heavy crystal, with wonderful, hand-carved stoppers, which alone would cost a small fortune to reproduce. Sherry glasses to match with the same excellent parallel cutting cost 3 francs, 50 centimes each. Quantities of old

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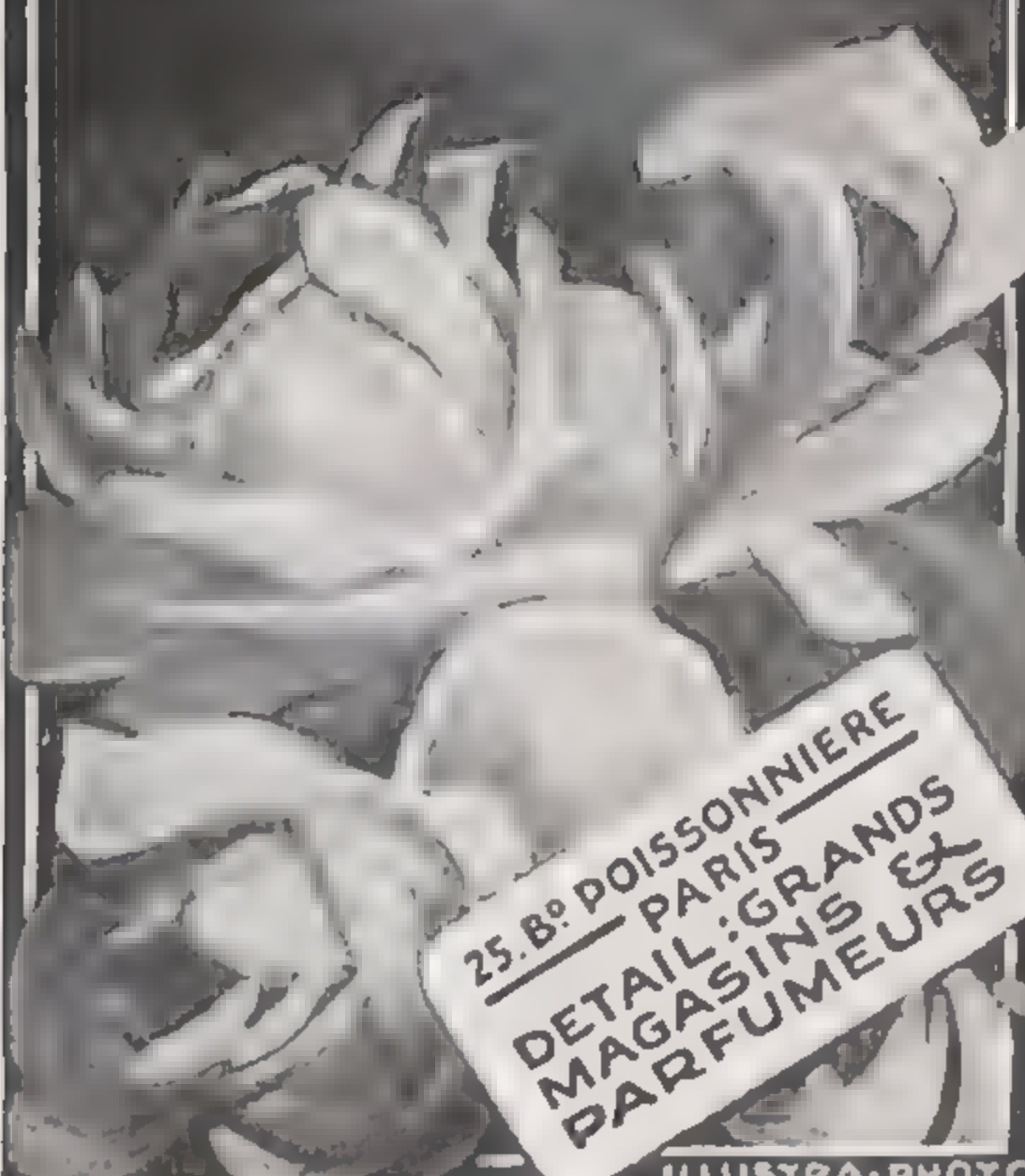
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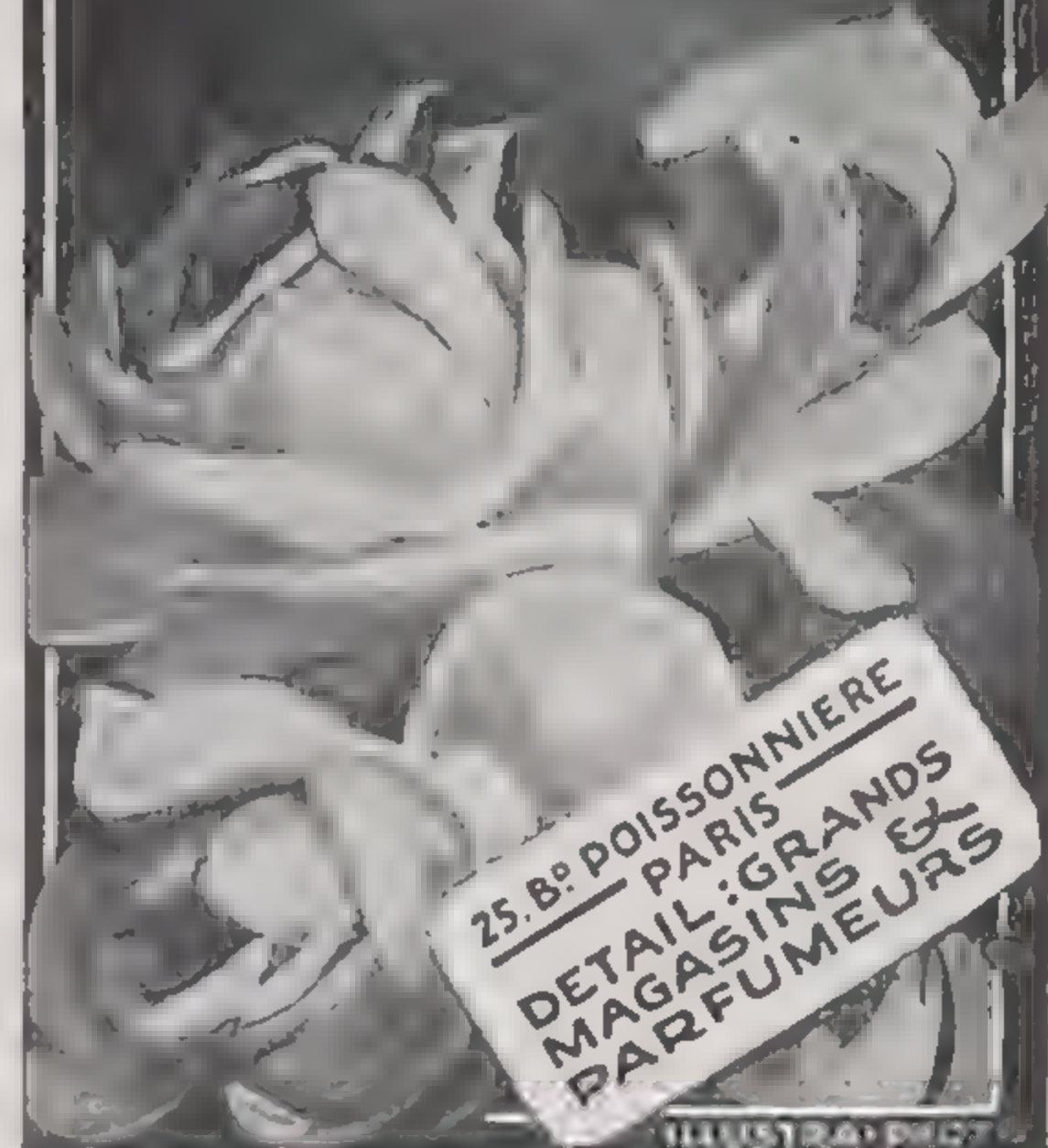
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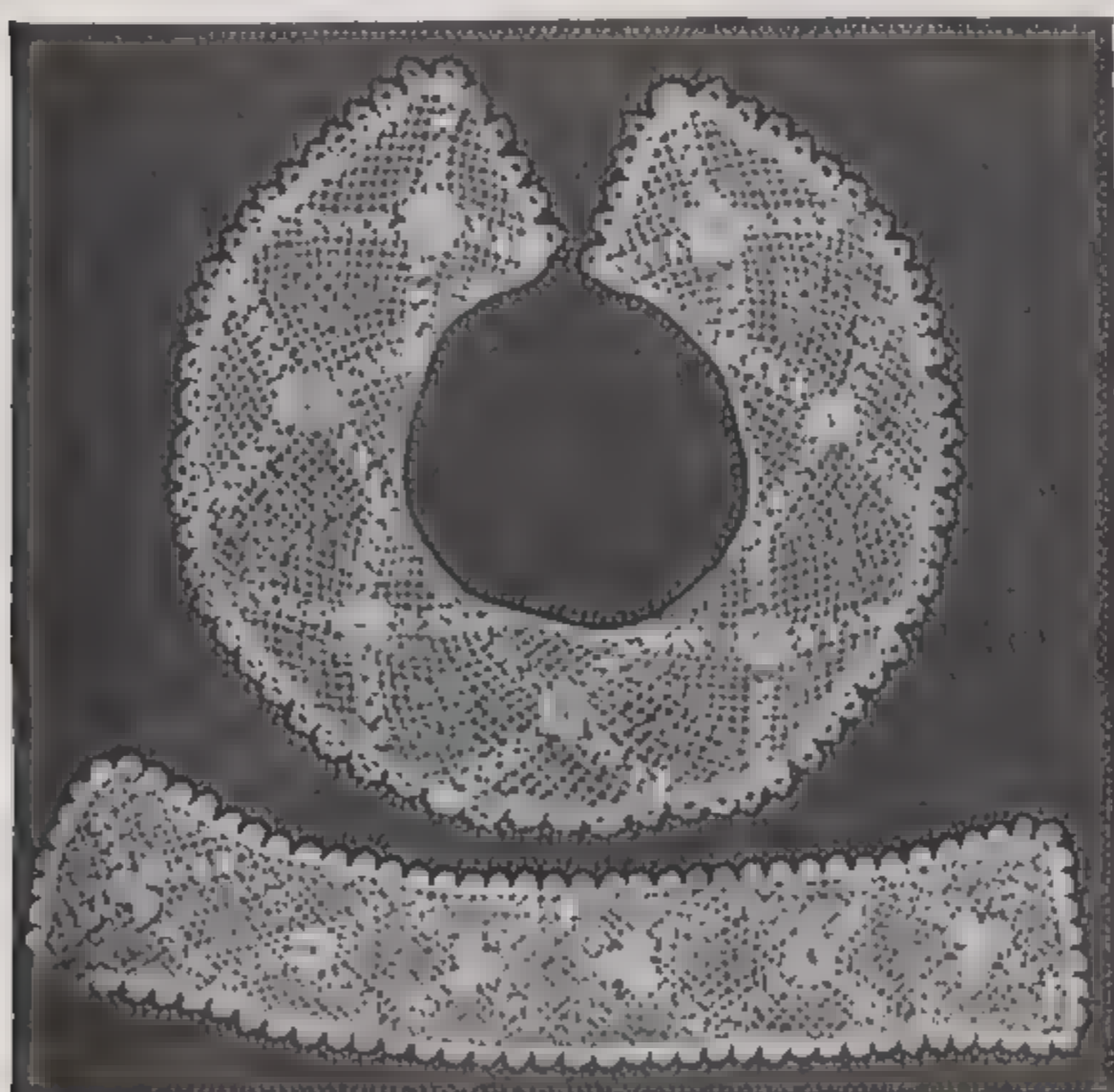
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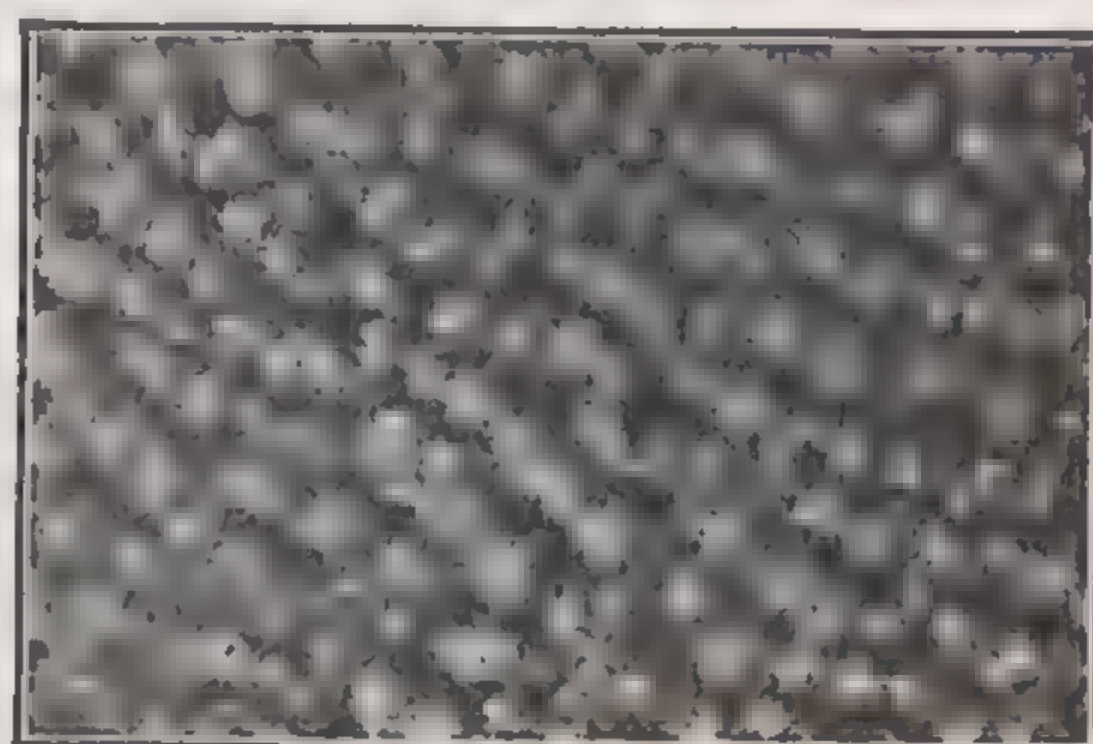
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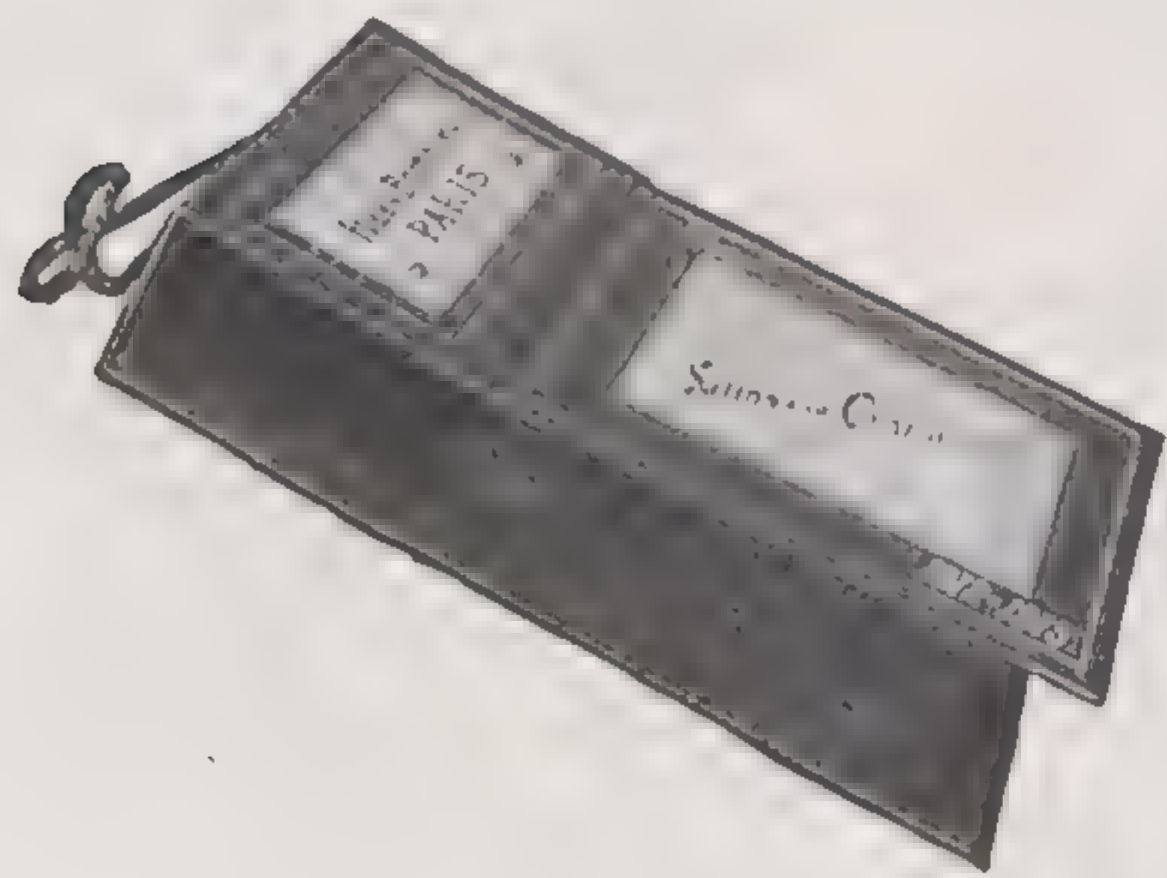
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HER PORTRAIT

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any kind for her portrait gown, for the camera makes it unfairly hard for her. It throws shadows about her face when none exist; it creates somber hollows, and hardens soft lines, unaccountably saddening her face. But put this same black upon a woman of middle-age, and it will relieve shadows, tone them down until they melt out of sight, and soften and fill full of lovely light all of the rest of the picture.

Not without forethought did fashion makers appropriate the kimono sleeve, for nothing so well preserves that line of the shoulder upon which the artist insists, and which we shall see abolished with regret. It is this line which determines the pose of the head and so it should never be interfered with. If it is, the artist with his brushes can generally secure a good line with draped effects, but the camera is relentless. Then, too, the long line of the arm should be preserved; anything by way of trimming that cuts this off is to be discountenanced unless the sleeve is transparent enough to show the arm and its soft outline. For instance, if crystal trimming is used for a finish, the line of the arm is really preserved.

Disfiguring also to the arm is the so-called "three-quarter" sleeve. Under the lens of the camera it deprives the arm of its soft roundness and seems to lengthen the hand abnormally; either the long sleeve, or the elbow sleeve is better. The long, tight sleeve with the drooping shoulder and fall of lace over the hand, portraitists have always considered a boon and many of the older painters used it with charming effect.

THE FACE AND NECK

As to the face and neck, to preserve the lines of beauty there, the gown must be open. The face should never be outlined by the high, stiff collar, nor should the high, stiff collar be finished with a black edge. This suggests a face peeping through a screen.

If the neck is short and the shoulder fat, the gown should be cut square in front with a long line to the waist, never with the rounded neck which outlines and accents what one would rather hide.

The long line from the shoulder to the waist is always a good one and should be suggested either in the cut of the gown or by the trimming. Place a thin pencil over the line of trimming and note how "thick" the waist looks without this line. Nor should the bodice be trimmed about the waist if the slenderness of the figure is to be preserved.

If the hips are large, a tight gown should not be worn, and it is well to have the shoulders built out a little by trimming, so that a sense of proportion be maintained. Size is never noticeable if proportion is preserved. For this reason, the hat with the sweeping brim is so effective and has been so often used by portrait painters. It not only offers a shadow as a background for the face, and throws into relief its contour, but it preserves the proportion of the shoulders. The high, narrow hat must be abjured, as it lengthens the line of the face to grotesqueness.

THE POSE

The hair demands most careful consideration. It should form a natural cloud or relief for the face, and looks best when it is considerably darker in tone than the complexion. It is, however, difficult to do this with blonde hair, which especially taxes the photographer. The camera is apt to make the face and light hair of one tone, and the contrast or scale of tones is often lost. For this reason, feathers in the hair are hard to take, for since they are of the same texture as the hair, there is no sharp line of demarcation.

A full-length portrait is not a good study. It leaves nothing to the imagination, and is seldom used except in picturing court costumes and bridal array.

It is well, before sitting for the photographer, to stand, in the dress to be worn, before a long mirror at a sufficient distance to give a somewhat blurred effect, and note the lines of the shoulder, the arm, the long line from the hip, then the tones of the gown, the effect of the figure, the setting for the face. Then venture upon a portrait with a reasonable expectation of a successful picture at the hands of an artist.

QUAKER CITY SHOPPING

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for strength. They are in three weights, fine, heavy, and extra heavy, in either silk or linen. Silk anklets cost \$2.50 apiece in the heavy quality; in the extra heavy and fine they are \$3.25. In linen they are 25 cents less. Wristlets are made only in the heavy weight, and are priced at \$1 for the silk, 75 cents for the linen. They are made in four colors—tan and lilac in silk, tan or green in linen, and the fine weight anklets may also be had in white silk.

An elbow cap is also useful to the golfer and tennis player. It extends about two and one-half inches on either side of the elbow, and is sold in the above quoted weights, qualities, and colors, for \$2.25 and \$3.25. A valuable protector for the sprained hand is a mitt having similar overlapped edges. It is made with or without the thumb piece and covers the hand as far as the first knuckles and extends two inches beyond the wrist. These goods are, of course, made to order, and a book giving directions for measuring is sent on request.

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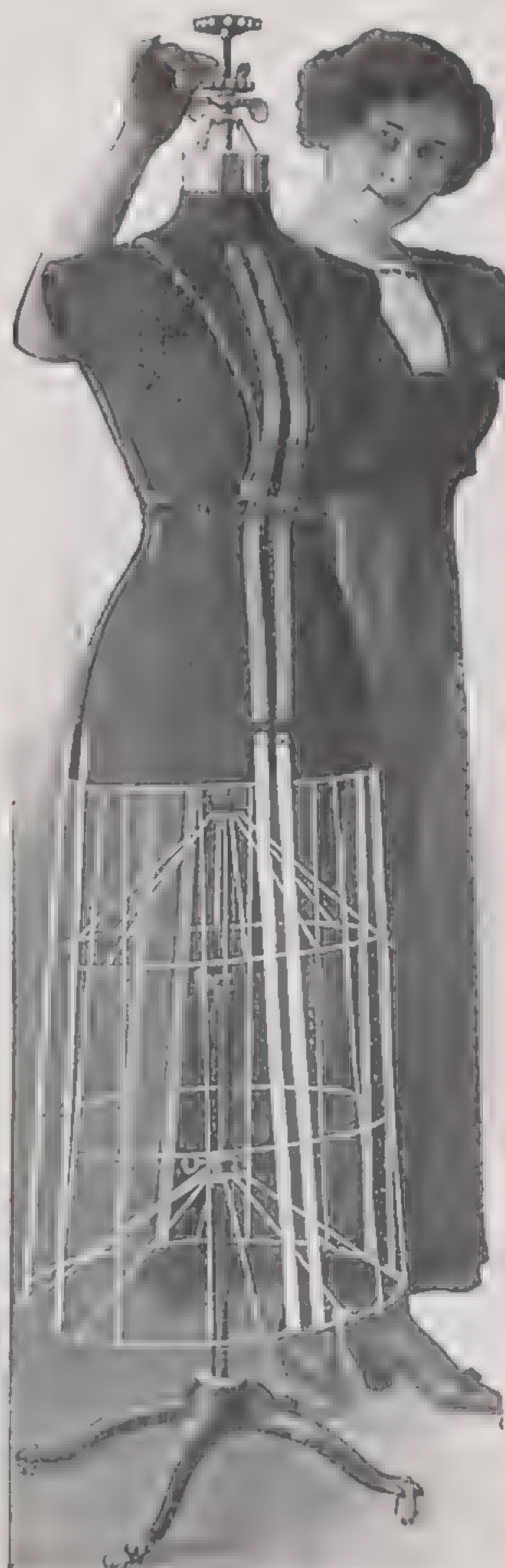
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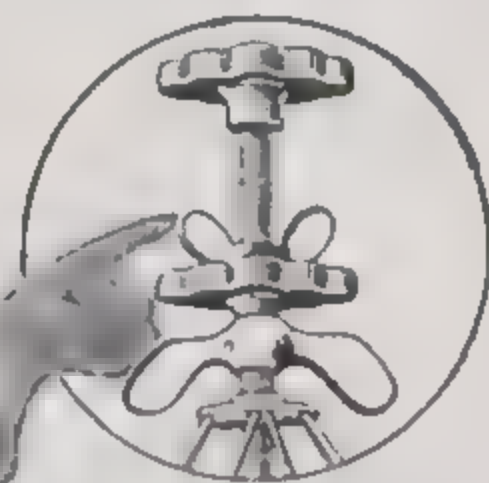
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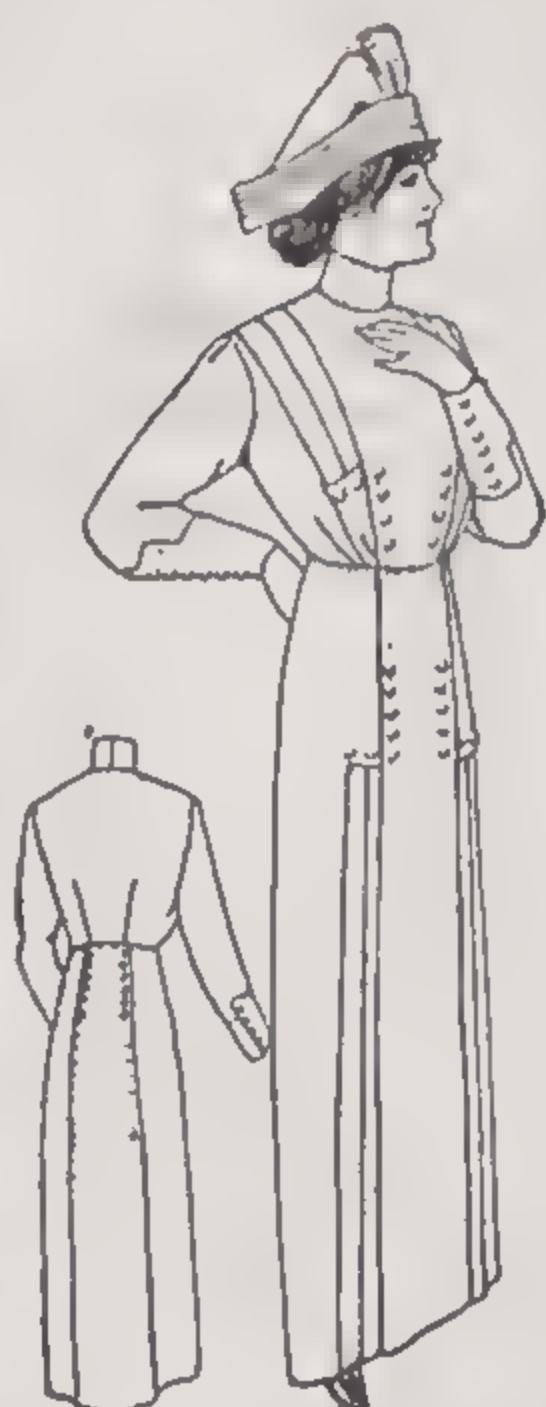
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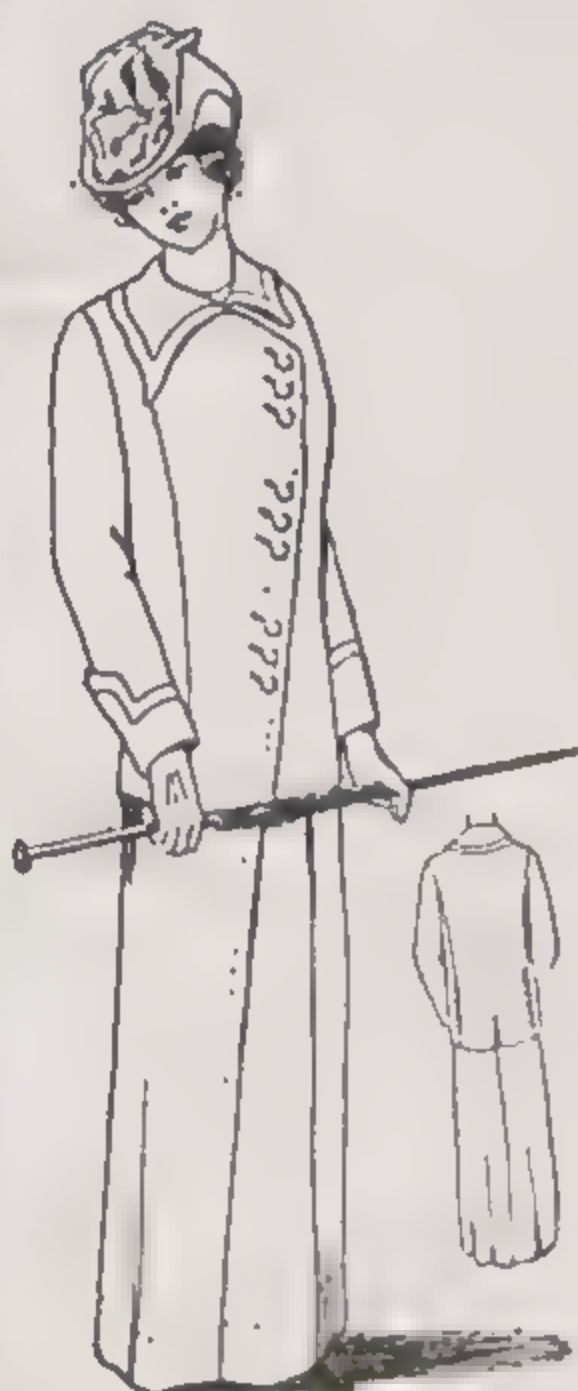
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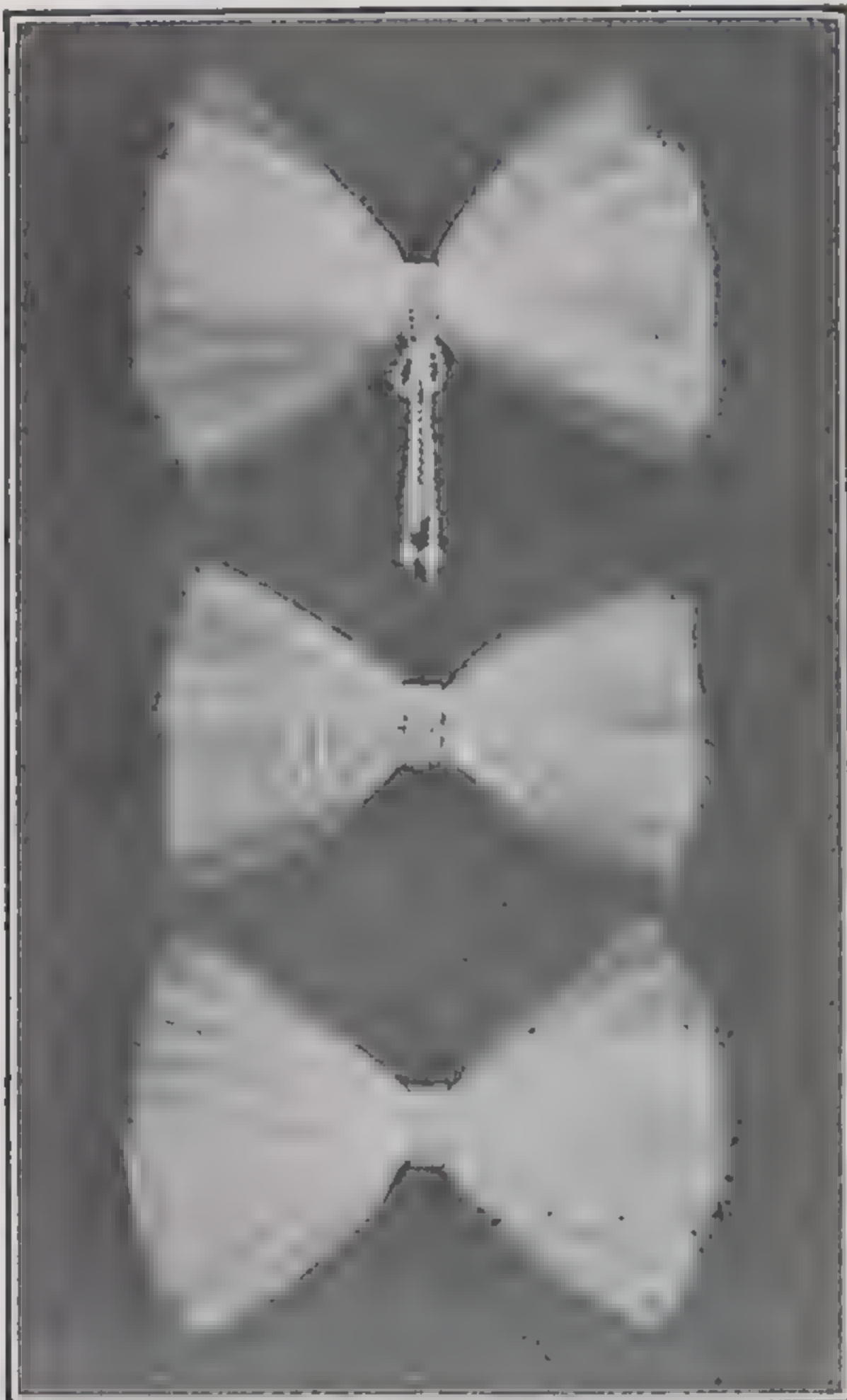
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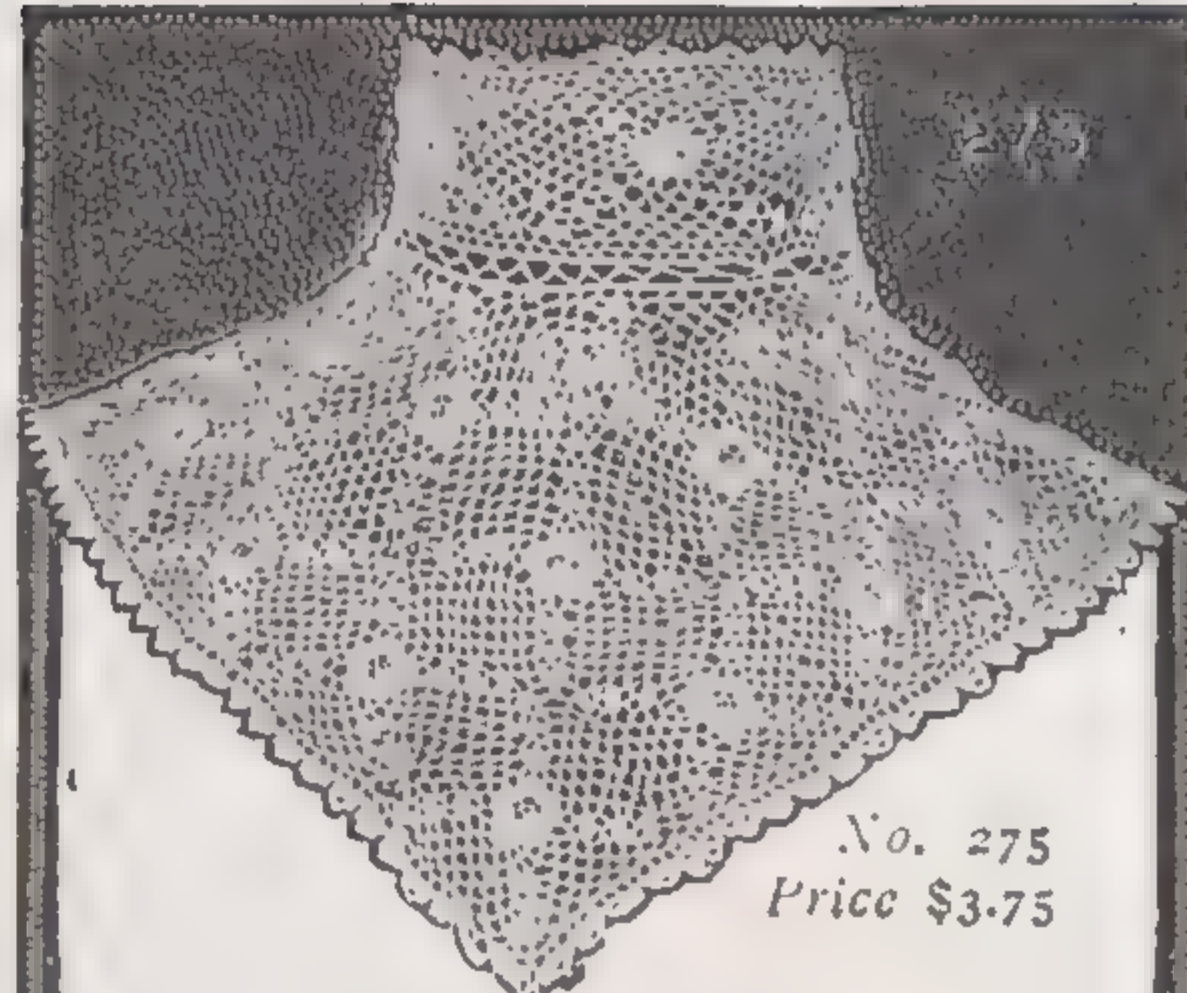
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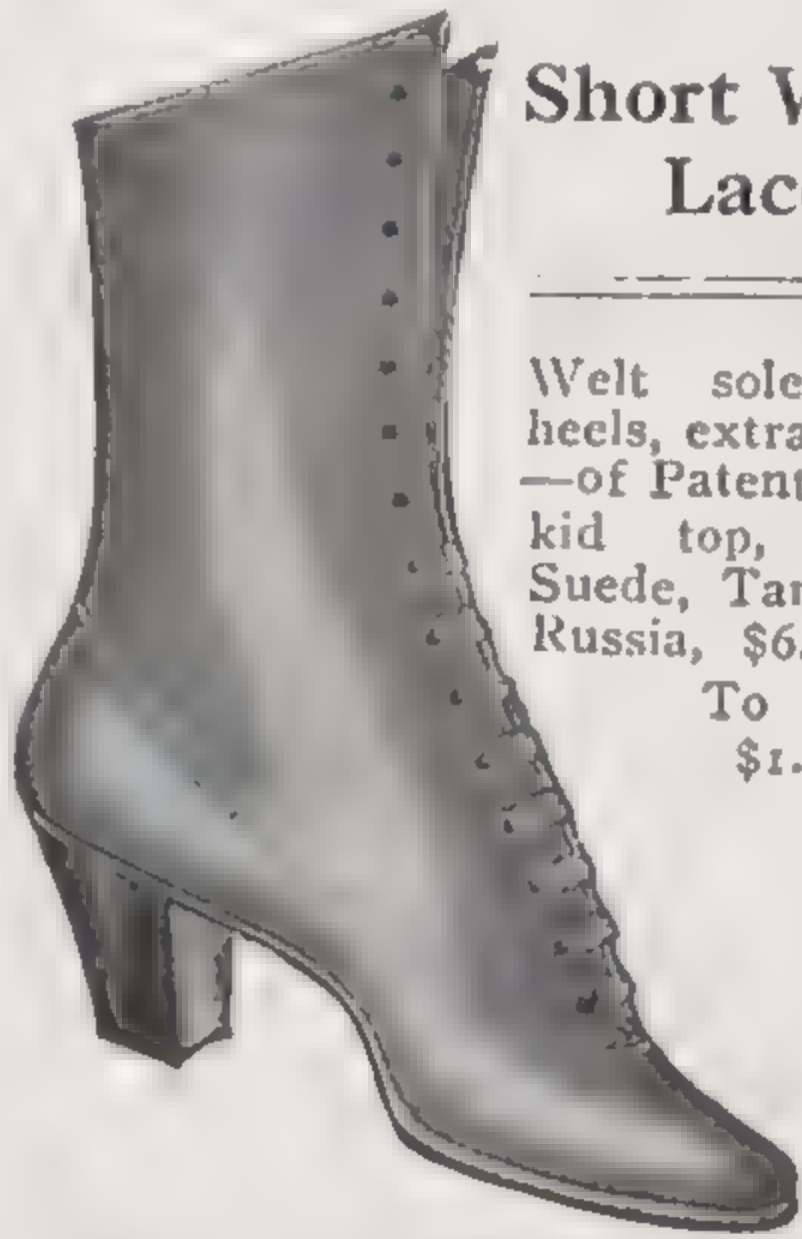
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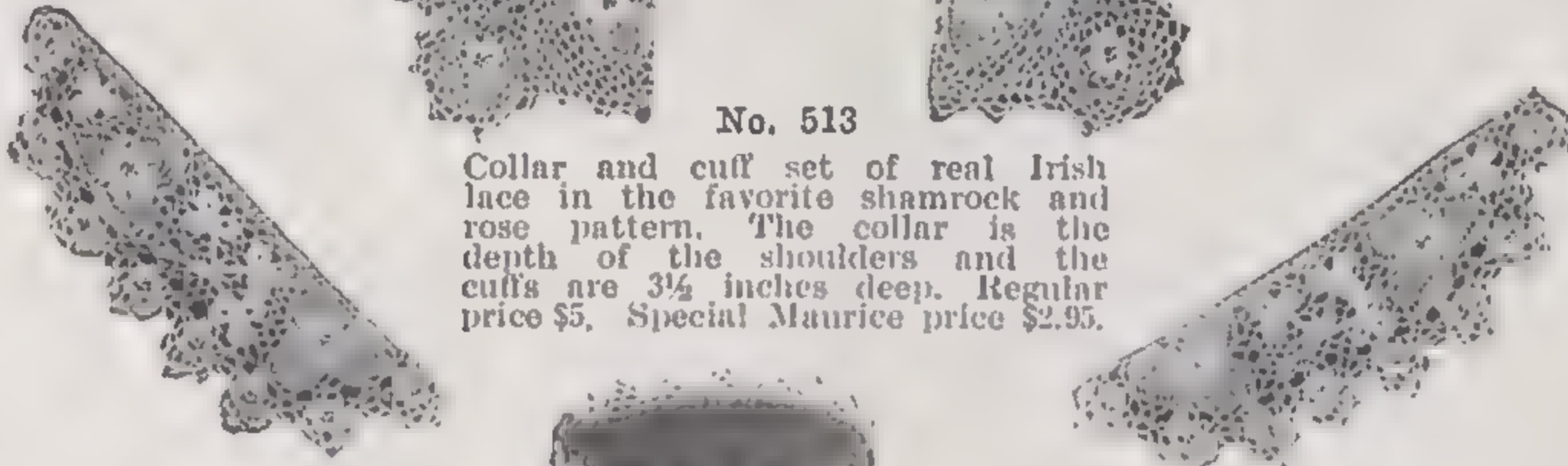
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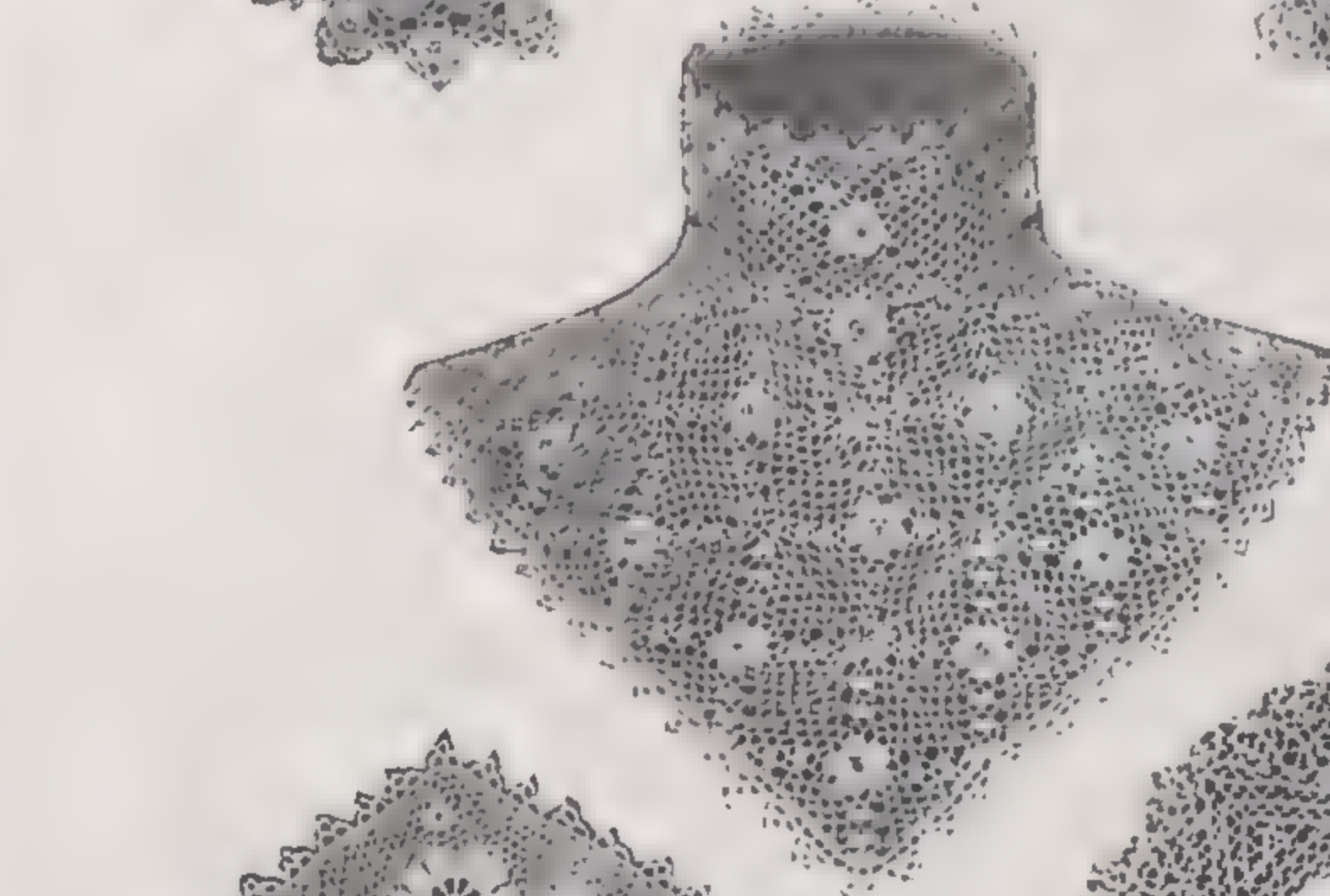
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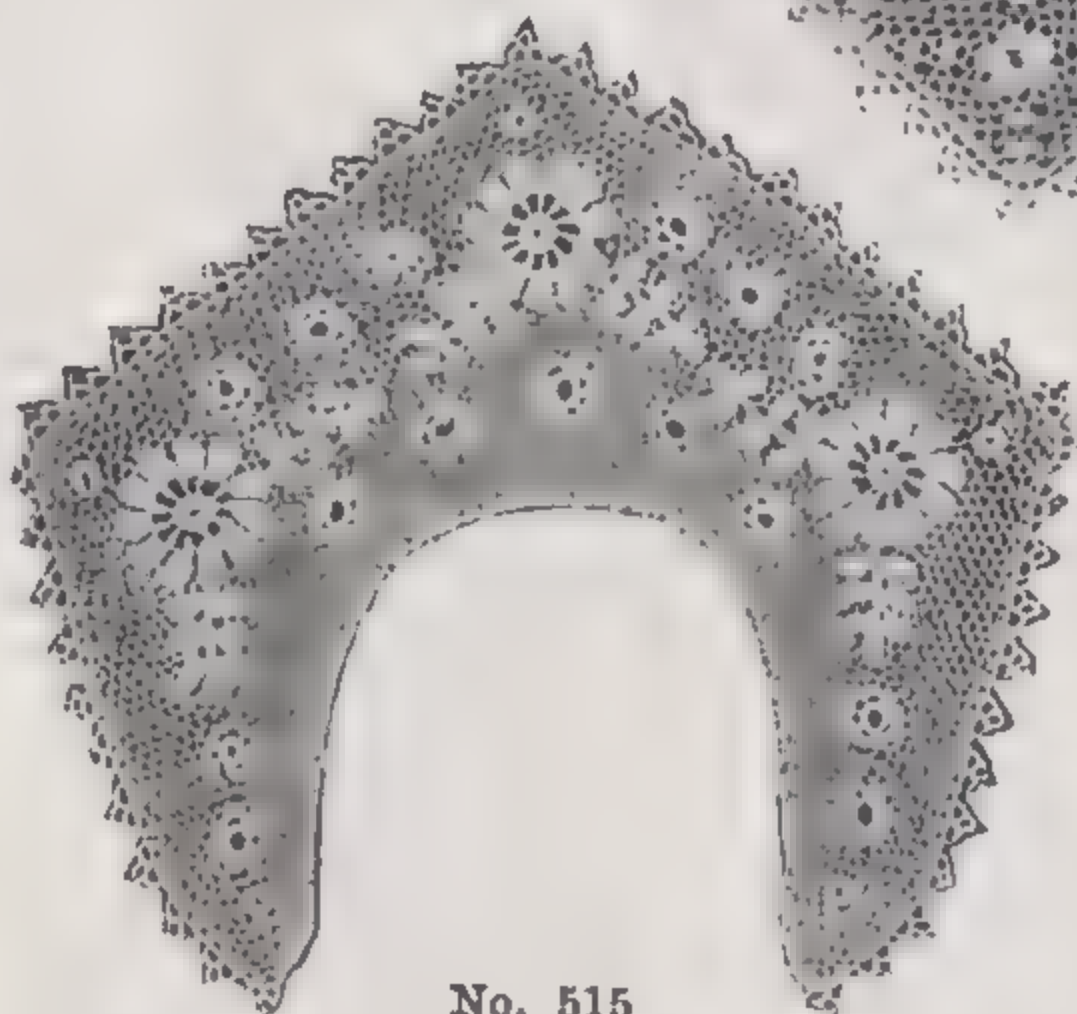
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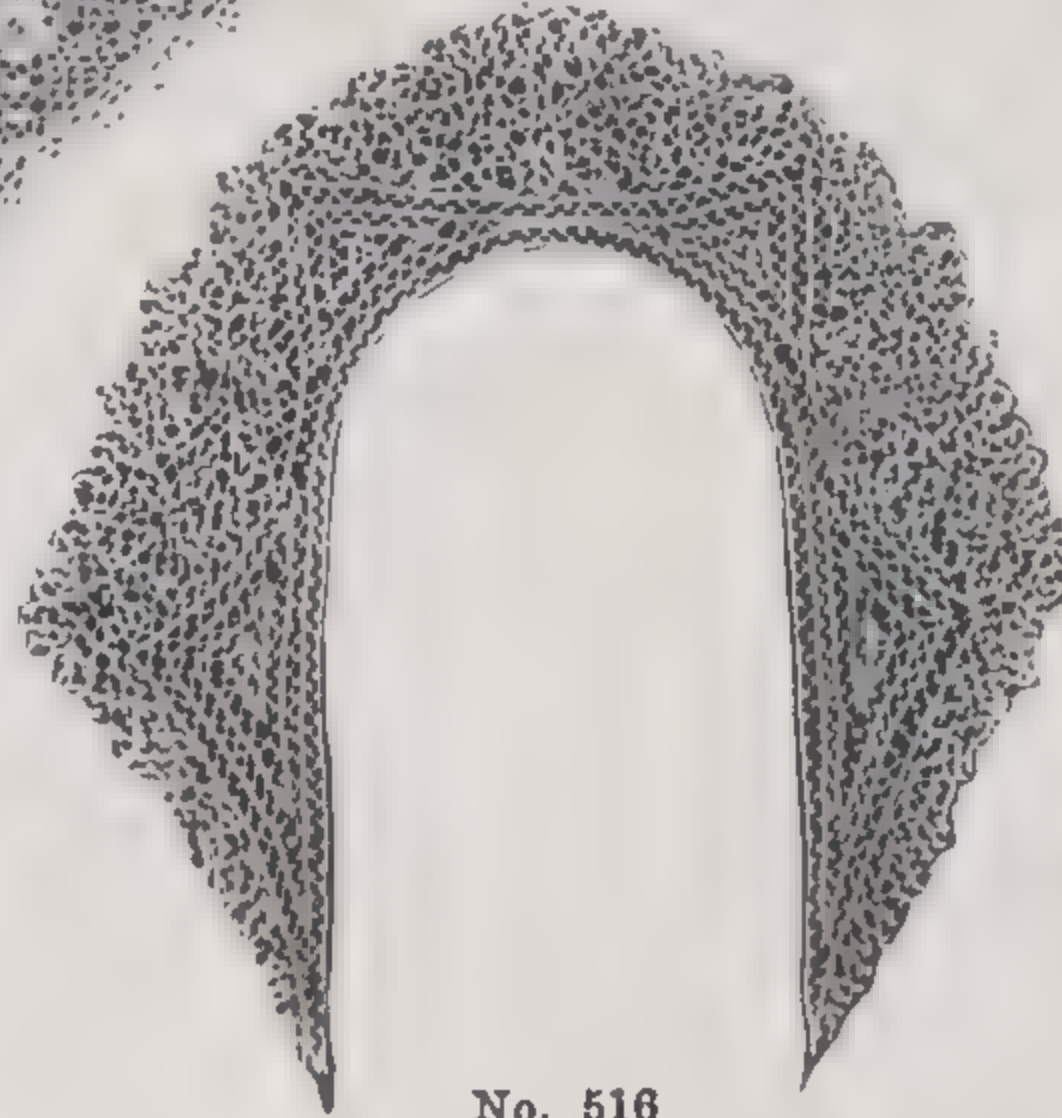
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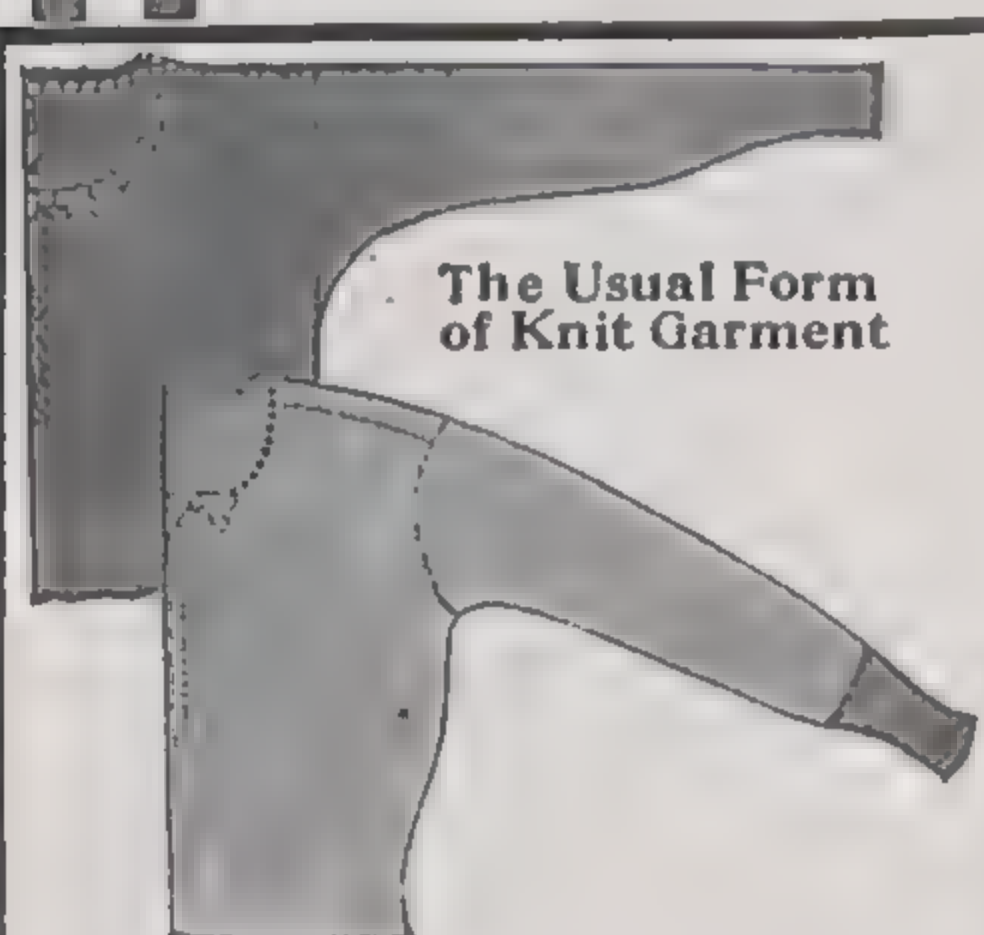
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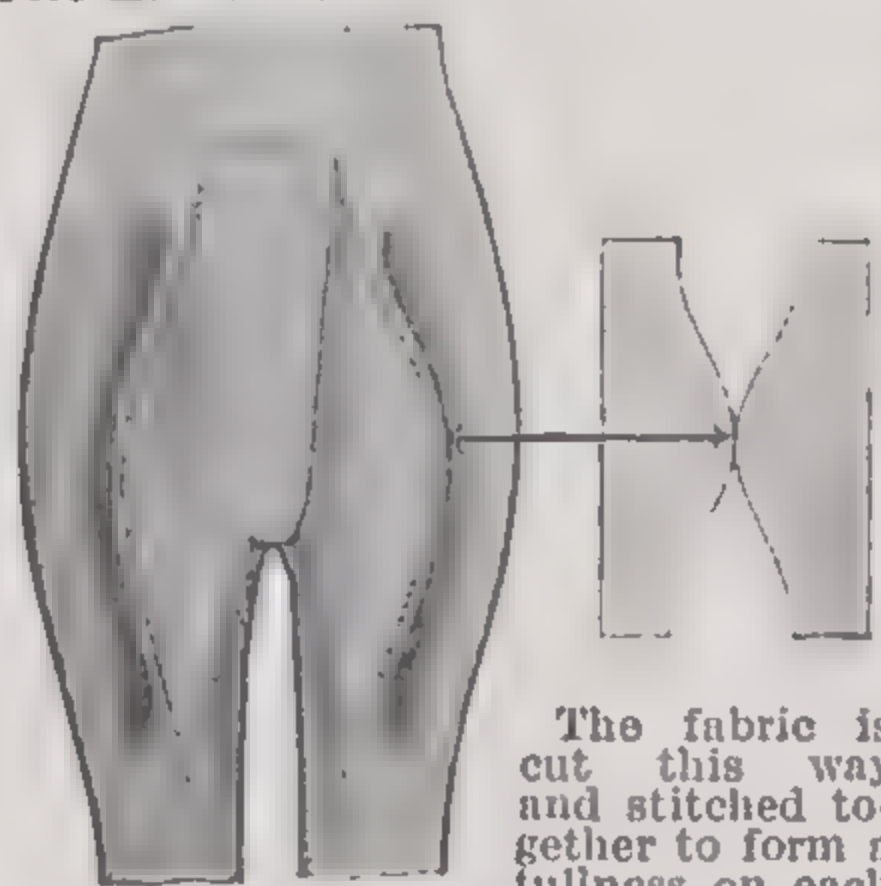
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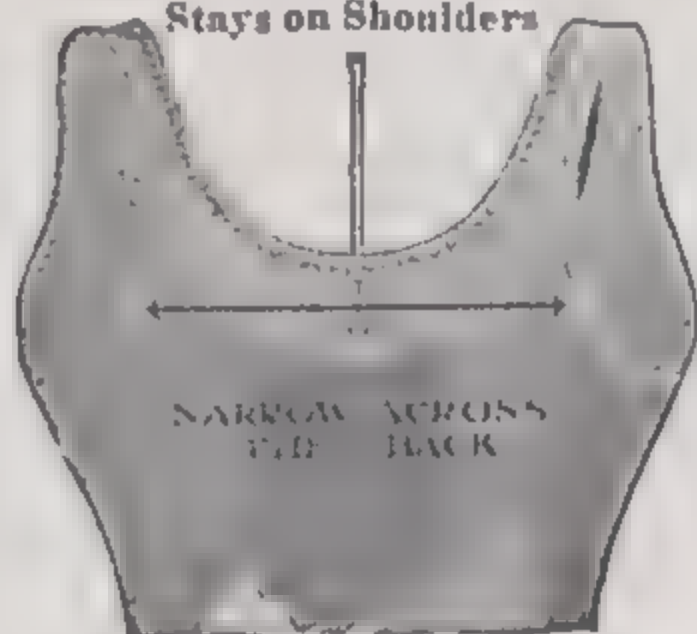
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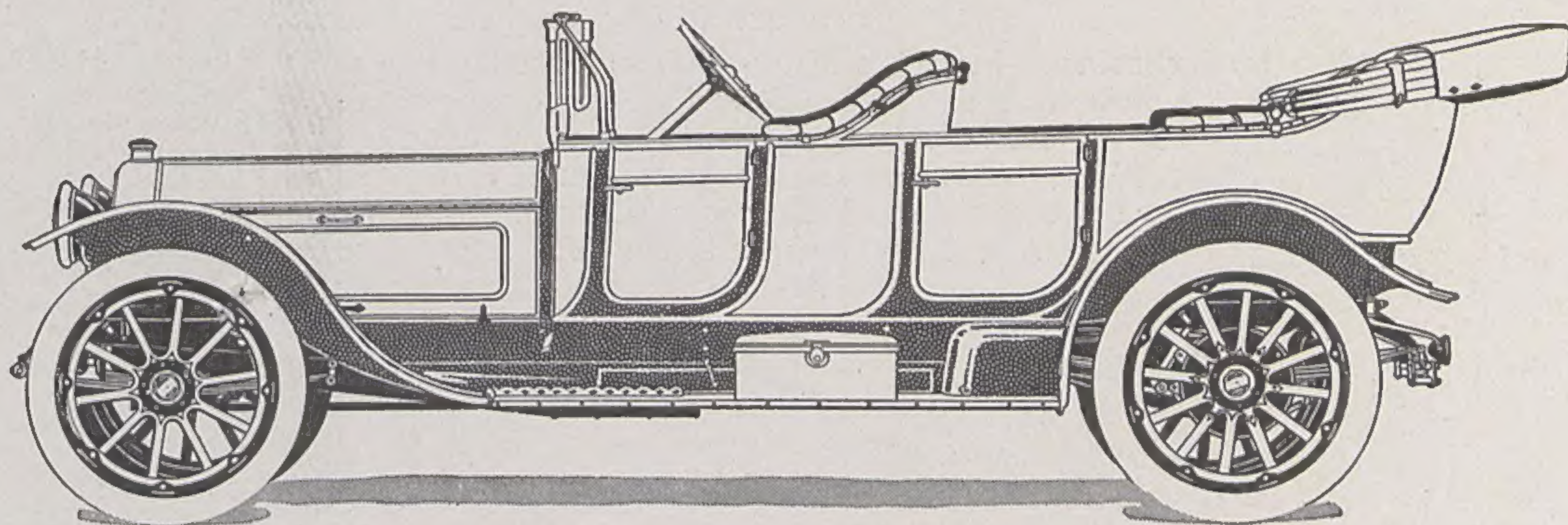
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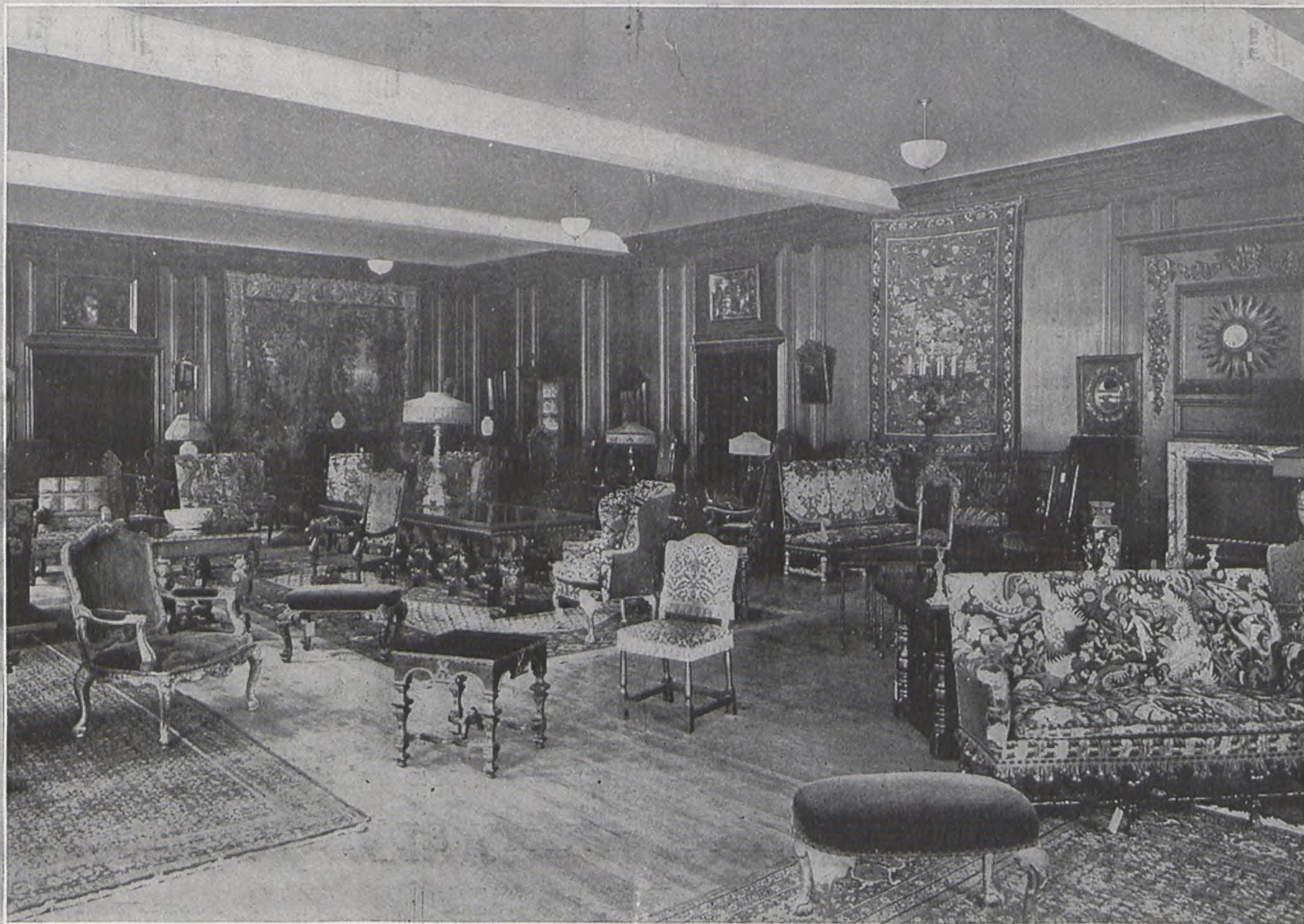
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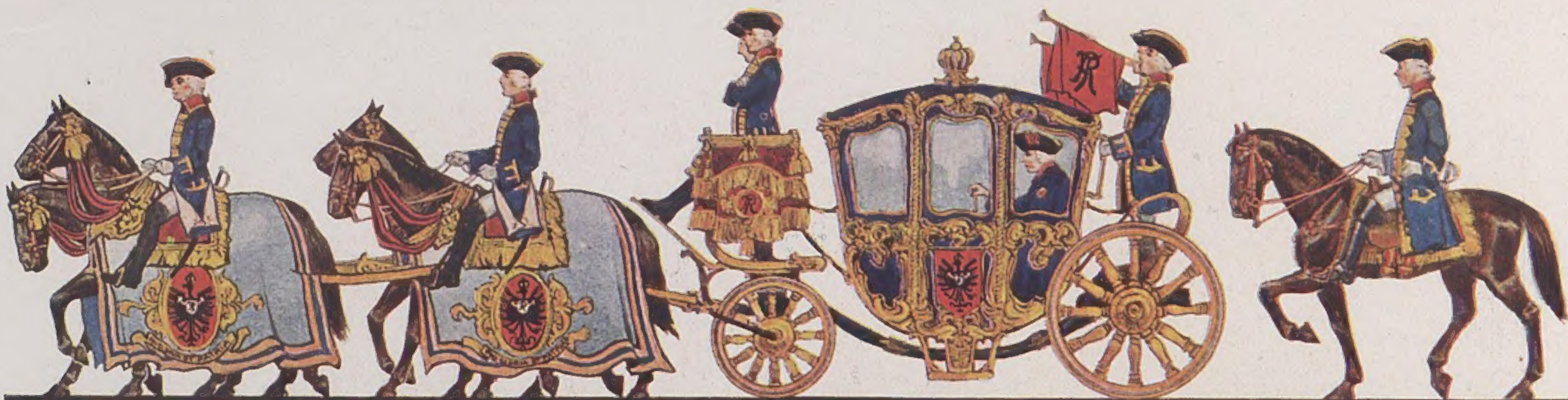
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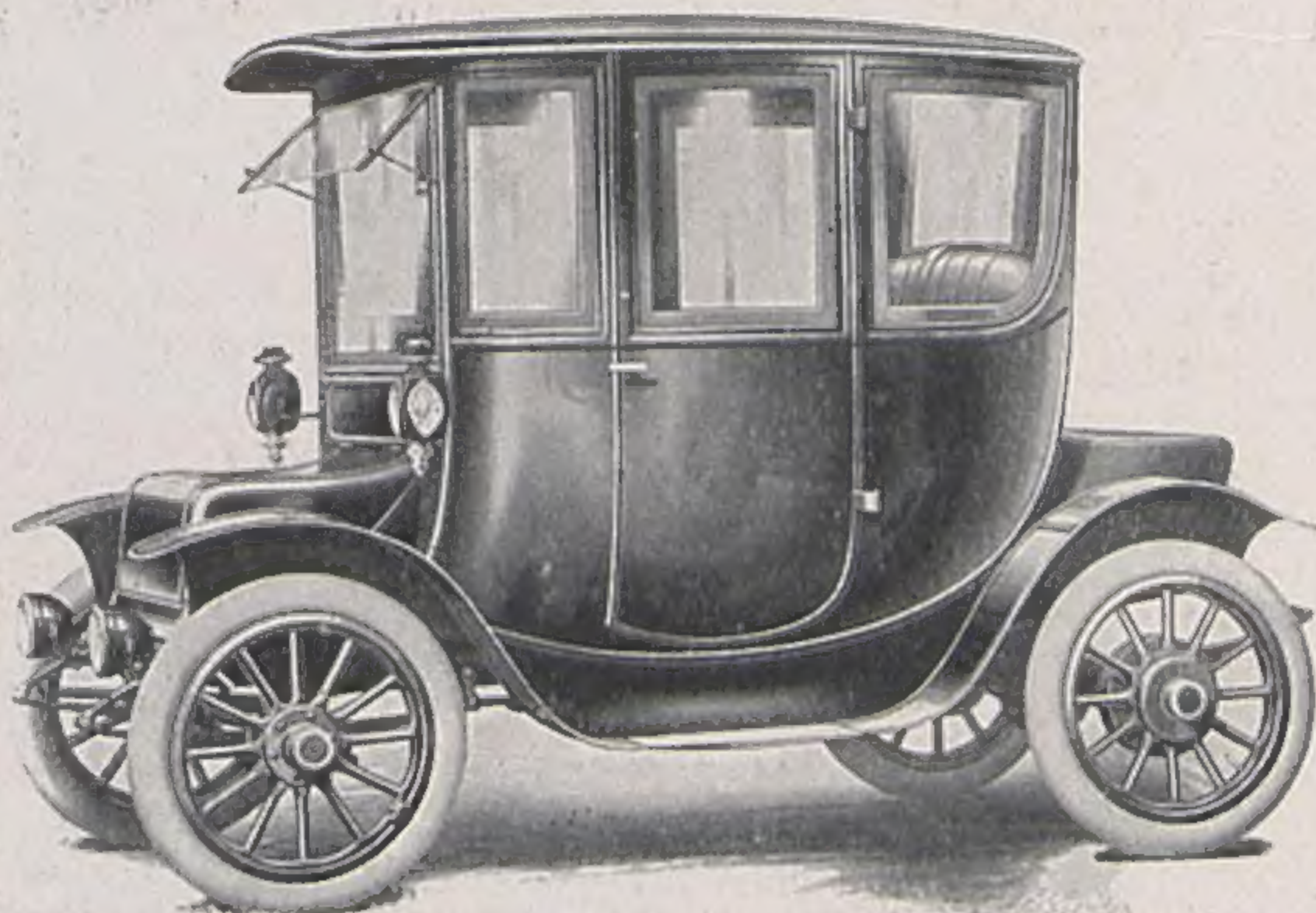
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